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Martyrologium

Sit nomen Domini benedictum

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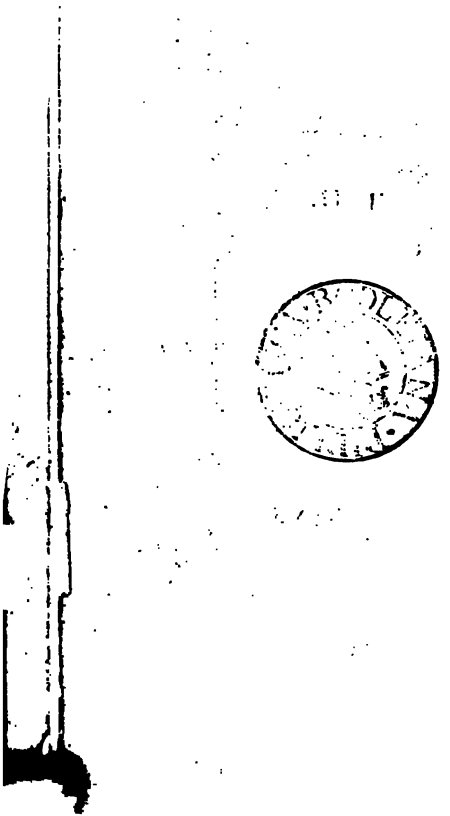

TO THE CATHOLIKES

Of the Church of England.

EORASMVCH, as the ROMAN MARTYROLOGE is translated, and published in diuers other vulgar Languages; it hath byn thought conuenient, that our *English* Nation alſo, should be no longer depriued of vvhat others haue already inioyed, to their great Profit: who by hea-

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ring the dayly *Memory* of ſo
ny and eminent SAINTS r
& renewed, haue made ther
no ſmall progreſſe; in the ſ
tuall affayres of their ſoule.

And hauing taken vpon
the publishing heereof, for
Comfort of many, who haue l
wished, and deſired to ſee i
print; I reſolued by way of D
cation, to commẽd the ſame
to *You*, the CATHOLIKE
my Countrey; not doubting
you will receaue it with as g
full an *Acceptance*, as my C
VVill, and poore *Endeauours* l
byn alwayes ready, to atten
You, in ſuch like Occaſions.

The *VVorke*, is ſo much
more proper vnto *You*, by

much it ſetteth forth briefly the Sanctity and Prayſe of thoſe Holy WORTHIES, who in formet tymes haue vndergone the like *Perſecutions*, for the ſelfe-ſame FAITH & RELIGION, which *You* endure at this preſent, in our Countrey. And as they were moſt famous, throgh the World for their *Conſtancy* and *Zeale*, in ſuffering for Chriſt, Loſſe of *Goods*, yea and of *Life* it ſelfe: ſo truſt, *You* ſhall alſo be renowned in future Ages, for the *Preſſures* you now ſuſtayne, in, and for the ſame *Cauſe*, both before God and Man.

The Tranſlatour heerof, hath exactly followed the laſt, & moſt *corrected Edition*, and by con-

to adde any thing els heeru
at this preſet, to auoyd prolix

And if I shall vnderſtand, t
theſe my poore paynes, may
gratefull vnto You; I will enc
uour to expreſſe the ſame h
after, in ſome other thing of t
ter Moment, that may tend
ſo, to the greater aduancem
of your ſpirituall Comfort
Conſolation: And shalbe eu
moſt ready to remayne,

Your affectionate, & deu
Seruant in Christ.

I.

THE MOVEABLE FEASTS

Are alwayes to be read in their order, as they yearly fall out, immediatly next before the Martyrologe, as followeth.

On Saturday before Septuageſima-Sunday.

The Sunday called Septuageſima, *on which day the Church ceaſeth to ſay the Canticle of our Lord,* Alleluia, *vntill Eaſter.*

On Tewſday after Quinquageſima-Sunday.

Aſh-wedneſday, and the beginning of the moſt holy Faſt of Lent.

On Saturday before Palme-ſunday.

Palme-ſunday, on which day our Lord Ieſus Chriſt, according to the Propheſy of Zachary, *entred into* Hieruſalem, *ſitting vpõ an Aſſe, whom the multitude came out to meet, with bowes of palme in their hãds.*

On Wedneſday in the holy Weeke.

The Supper of our Lord, commonly called Maundy-Thurſday, *when Chriſt Ieſus, the day before he ſuffered* for our Saluation, *inſtituted the Bleſſed* Sacrament.

deliuered to his diſciples, the myſteries o
his body and Bloud to be celebrated.

On Eaſter Eue.

This is the Day which our Lord hath made,
the Solemnity of Solēnities, & our Eaſter;
on which the Holy Church doth celebrate
the Glorious Reſurrection of our Sauiour
Ieſus Chriſt, according to the flesh.

On the Eue of the Aſcenſion.

Vpon the Mount Oliuet, *the Aſcenſion o*
our Lord Ieſus Chriſt.

On the Eue of Pentecoſt.

The Feaſt of Pentecoſt, *commonly calle*
Whit-ſunday; *on which Day, the Hol*
Ghoſt deſcended viſibly vpon the Apo
ſtles, in the forme of fiery tongues, being
aſſembled togeather in Hieruſalem.

On Saturday after Whit-ſunday.

The Feaſt of the moſt Holy, and vndeuided
Trinity, commonly called Trinity-ſunday

On Wedneſday after Trinity-ſunday.

The Feaſt of the moſt Bleſſed, and Venerable
Sacrament of the Body of our Lord, com
monly called Corpus Chriſti-day, *in*
ſtituted by Pope Vrban *the fourth.*

TH

THE MONETH OF IANVARY.

A *The first Day.*

THE Circumcision of our Lord Iesus Christ, and the Octaue of his Nativity. At *Rome* of *S. Almachius* Martyr, who by commaundment of *Alipius* Gouernour of the Citty, for saying; This is the Octaue of our Lords birth, giue ouer your superstitious worshipping of Idols, and abstayne from your vncleane Sacrifices; was killed by the Gladiatours, or Fencers at sharpe. At *Rome* also, in the way called *Appia*, the crowning with Martyrdome of thirty holy Souldiers, vnder *Diocletian* the Empe-

rour. Moreouer at *Rome* of *S. Martin*
gin, who vnder *Alexander* the Empe
hauing endured diuers kynds of torm
at length obteyned the triumphant
of Martyrdome, by the ſword. At *Sp*
of *S. Concordius* Prieſt and Martyr, wh
der *Antoninus* the Emperour, being firſ
ten with clubbes, then put vpō the
called *Equuleus*, afterwards ſtarued in
ſon, and there comforted by an Ang
nally ended his lyfe by the ſword.
ſame day of S. *Magnus* Martyr. At *C*
in *Cappadocia*, the depoſition of S. *Baſ*
ſhop, whoſe chiefe Feaſt is kept vpo
14 thirteenth of *Iune*, on which day he w
dayned Biſhop. In *Affrica* of S. *Fulg*
[a] Navv called Alphaques. Biſhop of ([a])*Ruſpa*, who in the perſecu
of the *Wandalls*, ſuffered much for the
tholique fayth, & for his great learnin
the *Arians*, and was banniſhed into th
of *Sardinia*; but afterward permitted t
turne to his Biſhopricke, renowned
his life and learning, made an holy en
the Territory of *Lyons*, in the Monaſte
[b] Iuten- ſe. *S. Claude* vpon the Mount ([b])*Iure*, of *S.*
gendus Abbot, whoſe lyfe ſhined with
[c] Siluiſtacum. tues and miracles. At([c]) *Sauigny* of *S.*
Abbot of Cluny, who was the firſt that
manded the Cōmemoration of all So

ſhould be kept in his Monaſteries, the next day after the feaſt of all Saintes; which cuſtome was afterward receaued, & approoued by the whole Church. At *Alexandria* the depoſition of S. *Euphroſyna* Virgin, who in her Monaſtery, was renowned for the vertue of Abſtinence, and Miracles.

¶ *And in other places, of many other Saintes, Martyrs, and Confeſſors, and Holy Virgins; to whoſe prayers and merits we humbly commend our ſelues.* ℟. *Prayſe be to God.*

In this manner the reading of the Martyrologe, is alvvaies to end.

B *The ſecond Day.*

THE Octaue of *S. Stephen* the Protomartyr. At *Rome* the Commemoration of many holy Martyrs, who contemning the Edict made by *Diocletian* the Emperour, commanding, That ſuch, as had any ſacred Bookes, ſhould deliuer them vp; made choice rather to deliuer theyr bodyes to the Executioners, then to giue Holy things to dogges. At *Antioch* the paſſion of Bleſſed *Iſidore* Biſhop. At *Tomis* in *Pontus* of *Aſia*, of three holy Breethren *Argeus*, *Narciſſus*, and *Marcellinus* a youth, who being taken among the new Souldiers, and refuſing to ſerue, was vnder Licinius the Empe-

rour, beaten almoſt to death, and for
tyme ſtarued in pryſon, at laſt drow
the ſea, finiſhed his Martyrdome;
two brethren were beheaded. At
of *S. Martinianus* Biſhop. At *Nitria* i
of Bleſſed *Iſidore* Biſhop and Con
The ſame day, of *S. Siridon* Biſhop.
bais of *S. Macarius* of *Alexandria*, Abb

C. *The third Day.*

THE Octaue of *S. Iohn* the Apo
Euangeliſt. At *Rome* in the wa
Appia, the birth-day of *S. Anterus* Po
ſuffered vnder *Iulius Maximinus*, &
ryed in the Church-yard of *Calliſt*
ſame day, of *S. Peter*, who at *Aulona*
cifyed. In *Helleſponte*, of the holy
Cirinus, *Primus*, and *Theogenes*. At *C*
Cappadocia, of *S. Gordius* a Centur
whoſe praiſe is extant an excellent
made by *S. Baſill* the Great, vpon hi
day. In *Cilicia* of the holy Martyrs
Athanaſius a Notary, *Theopemptus* and
who ſuffered a famous Martyrdom
perſecution of *Diocletian*. At *Padua* o
niel Martyr. At *Vienna* in *France*, of *S*
rius Biſhop, who in the tyme of
the Emperour, was baniſhed, and

ded his Martyrdome. At *Paris* of *S. Genouefa* Virgin, who conſecrated to God by *S. Germã* Biſhop of(a) *Auxerre* was famous for her wonderfull vertues, and miracles. a A ſiod

D. *The fourth Day.*

THE Octaue of the holy Innocents. In(a) *Candia*, the birth-day of *S. Titus*, who by *S. Paul* the Apoſtle was ordayned Biſhop of that place; where after he had faythfully performed his office of preaching made an holy end, & was buryed in the Church, of which by the Bleſſed Apoſtle he had byn made Biſhop. At *Rome*, of the holy Martyrs *Priſcus* Prieſt, and *Priſtillianus* Clarke, and of *Benedicta* a Religious woman, who in the raigne of the moſt wicked *Iulian*, were martyred by the ſword. Alſo of Bleſſed *Daſroſa* wyfe to *S. Fabian* Martyr, who after the killing of her husband, being firſt banniſhed, was laſtly vnder the ſame Prince beheaded. At *Bolonia* of the Saints *Hermes*, *Aggæus*, and *Caius* Martyrs, who ſuffered vnder *Maximian* the Emperour. At (b) *Adrumetum* in *Affrica* the Cõmemoration of *S. Mauilus* Martyr, who in the perſecution of *Seuerus* the Emperour, being by *Scapula* a moſt cruell Gouernour, a C b N calle Mah ta-

condemned to be deuoured of beasts ceaued a Crowne of Martyrdome. Mo uer in *Affrica*, of the most famous Ma *Aquilinus*, *Geminus*, *Eugenius*, *Marcianus*, *Ctus*, *Theodotus* and *Triphon*. At (c) *Langr* *S. Gregory* Bishop, famous for miracle: *Rhemes* in *France* of *S. Rigobertus* Bishop Confessour.

(c) Lingonæ.

E *The fifth Day.*

THE Vigill of the *Epiphany* of Lord. At *Rome* of *S. Telesphorus* P who vnder *Antoninus Pius* after many la obtayned a glorious Martyrdome, fo Confession of Christ. In *Aegypt* the C memoration of many Holy Martyrs, in the persecution of *Diocletian* were k in *Thebais* by diuers kinds of torments *Antioch* of *S. Symeon* Monke, who liued ny yeares standing in a pillar, & was t of surnamed *Stylites*, whose lyfe and uersation was wonderfull. In *England* *Edward* King, renowned for the vert Chastity, and working of Miracles *Alexandria* of *S. Sincletica*, whose fan actes *S. Athanasius* hath left wrytten. *Rome* of *Æmiliana* Virgin, aunt to *S. Gr* *Pope, who being* called vnto God by

r *Tharſilla* before departed, went this
to our Lord. The ſame day of *S. Apolli-*
Virgin.

F *The ſixt Day.*

HE *Epiphany* of our Lord. In the ter-
ritory of *Rhemes* the Paſſion of *S. Ma-*
irgin, who in the perſecution of *Dio-*
, by commaundement of *Rictiouarus*
rnour, being caſt headlong into the
nd receauing no hurt, had her breaſts
F, & afterward afflicted with a loath-
impryſonment, being alſo rolled vp
owne vpon ſharpe potſheardes, and
ng coales, in prayer departed to our
In *Affrica* the Commemoration of
holy Martyrs, who in the perſecution
rus, tyed to a ſtake, where conſumed
ire. At (a) *Reines* in *Britany* of *France* a Rhe
telanius Biſhop and Confeſſour, who dones.
innumerable ſignes of his vertues,
g his eyes cõtinually fixed vpon hea-
lorioufly departed out of this world.
Geris in *Aegypt* of *S. Milamon* Ancho- b Geri
rho whileſt he was drawen to haue
made Biſhop againſt his will, in
: gaue vp his ſoule to God.

G. The seauenth Day.

THE bringing back of the Ch
out of *Aegypt*. The same day t
day of Blessed *Lucian* Priest of the
of *Antioch* and Martyr, who famous
ning and eloquence, suffered at 1
for the Confession of Christ, in th
cution of *Maximinus*, and lyeth b
Helenople in *Bithynia*; whose pra
wrytten by *S. Iohn Chrysostome*. At
of *S. Clerus* Deacon, who for the
his Confession being seauen tym
red, and pyned long in pryson, a
headed, ended his Martyrdome. In
ty of *Heraclea* of the holy Martyrs 1
Ianuarius. The same day of *S. Iulian*
nia. In (a) *Denmarke* of *S. Canutus* King
S. tyr. At (b) *Pauia* of *S. Crispin* Bis
Confessor. In *Dacia* of *S. Nicetas*
who by preaching the Ghospell o
made milde and meeke, most fi
barbarous Nations. In *Aegypt* of *S*
rus Monke, who was famous for
of life in the time of *Constantine* the
of whome *S. Athanasius* maketh me
the lyfe of S. Antony.

A *The eyght Day.*

AT (a) *Beauuais* in *France*, of the holy Martyrs *Lucian* Prieſt, *Maximian*, and *u*, of which, the two laſt were by pre-ly beheaded; but bleſſed *Lucian*, who e with *S. Dennis* into France, after a t ſlaughter of his fellowes, not fearing h a ſtoute voyce, ſtill to confeſſe the e of Chriſt, at laſt receaued the ſame ence of death, which the former had red. Alſo of *Saint Eugenianus* Martyr. *ibya* of the holy Martyrs *Theophilus* Dea-, and *Helladius*, who being firſt moſt lly torne, and then rolled vpon ſharp heards, at laſt throwne into the fire, lred vp their ſoules to God. At *Hierapo-* *Aſia*, of S. *Apollinaris* Biſhop, who vn-*Marcus Antoninus Verus* floriſhed for ſan- and learning. At *Naples* in *Campania* birth-day of *S. Seuerine* Biſhop, bro-to Bleſſed *Victorinus* Martyr, who after xerciſe of many vertues, full of holy-nent to reſt. At (b) *Pauia* of *S. Maximus* op and Confeſſour. At (c) *Metz* of *S.* *ns* Biſhop. The ſame day in (d) *Bauaria* . *Seuerine* Abbot, who preached the *ſpell to that* Nation, and is called their

a Bell uacum

b Papi

c Met

d Noi ci.

Apo-

Apoſtle; his body being by diuine pow
brought to (e) *Mont-feltre* neere *Naples*, w
afterwards from thence, tranſlated to t
Monaſtery of *S. Seuerine*.

B *The nynth Day.*

AT *Antioch*, vnder *Diocletian* and *Ma*
rian, the birth day of *S. Iulian* Marty
and *Baſſiſſa* Virgin his wife, who with h
husband hauing kept Virginity, ended h
dayes in peace: but *Iulian* (after he had ſee
many Prieſts, and Miniſters of the Chur
of Chriſt, who for the cruelty of perſecu
tion had fled vnto them, to haue byn bu
ned) by commaundement of *Marcian* t
Preſident, being diuerſly tormented, rece
ued ſentence of death: with whome al
Antony a Prieſt, and *Anaſtaſius* (whome ra
ſed from death, *Iulian* had made partaker
the grace of Chriſt) and *Celſus* a child, wi
his mother *Marcionilla*, and ſeauen brethre
and many others, did ſuffer. In *Mauritan*
Ceſarienſis of S. *Marciana* Virgin, who d
uoured by beaſts accompliſhed her Marty
dome. At *Smyrna* of the holy Martyrs *Vit*
lis, *Reuocatus*, and *Fortunatus*. In *Africa*
the holy Martyrs Epictetus, *Iucundus*, *Secu*
das, *Vitalis*, *Felix*, and ſeauen others. At

in *Armenia* of S. *Peter* Biſhop, brother
Baſil. At *Ancona* of S. *Marcellinus* Biſhop,
o (as S. *Gregory* writeth) miraculouſly
uered that Citty from burning.

C *The tenth Day.*

f *Cyprus* of Bleſſed *Nicanor*, one of the
auen firſt Deacons, who admirable for
ayth and vertue, was moſt gloriouſly
vned. At *Rome* of S. *Agatho* Pope, who
ous for holines & learning, dyed a na-
ll death. At *Millane* of S. *Iohn* ſurnamed
Good, Biſhop and Confeſſour. In *The-*
he birth day of S. *Paul* the firſt Hermite
) from the ſixteenth yeare of his age,
ill an hundred and thirteene, led a ſo-
y lyfe in the wilderneſſe; whoſe ſoule
ntony ſaw carryed vp to Heauen, by
ells, amongſt the quiers of Apoſtles &
phets; but his feaſt is kept the fifteenth
is Moneth. At *Conſtantinople* of S. *Mar-*
Prieſt.

D *The eleauenth Day.*

T *Rome* the birth-day of S. *Hyginius*
Pope, who in the perſecution of *An-*
the Emperour, gloriouſly accompli-

ſhed his Martyrdome. In *Africa* of Ble
Saluius Martyr, in whoſe feaſt *S. Augu*
made a Sermon to the people of *Carth*
At *Alexandria* of the holy Martyrs, *Peter*
uerus, and *Leucius*. At *Fermo* in (a) *Pice*
of *S. Alexander* Biſhop and Martyr. A
miens of *S. Saluius* Biſhop and Martyr
(b) *Brindiſi* of S. *Leucius* Biſhop and Co
four. In *Cappadocia* in a Village called
gariſſo, of S. *Theodoſius* Abbot, who hat
ſuffered much for the Catholique Fa
died at laſt a naturall death. In *Theba*
S. *Palamon* Abbot, maiſter to S. *Pachon*
At *Suppentonia* neere the Mount (c) *Son*
of S. *Anaſtaſius* Monke, and his fellow
who called by a voyce from heauen w
vnto our Lord. At *Pauia* of S. *Hono*
Virgin.

a Marc-Ancona.

b Brun-duſium.

c Mon-te de San Siluestro.

E *The twelfth Day.*

AT *Rome* of S. *Tatiana* Martyr, v
vnder *Alexander* the Emperour, b
firſt torne with iron hookes, and com
then thowne vnto beaſts, and caſt into
fyre, but receauing no harme, was a
beheaded. In *Achaia* of S. *Satyrus* Mar
who as he paſſed before an Idoll, & bl
ing vpon it made the ſigne of the c

thwith the Idoll fell to the ground; for
lich cauſe he was beheaded. The ſame
of S. *Arcadius* Martyr, famous for noble
traction, and Miracles. In *Affrica* of the
rtyrdome of *Zoticus, Rogatus, Modeſtus, Ca-*
s, and of fourty ſouldiers. At *Conſtanti-*
e of the Saints *Tigrius* Prieſt, and *Eutro-*
Reader, who ſuffered in the dayes of
adius the Emperour. At (a) *Tiuoli* of S. a Tibi
icus Martyr. At *Epheſus* the paſſion of
rty and two holy monkes, who for the
rſhipping of holy Images, vnder *Con-*
tinus Copronymus, moſt cruelly tormen-
accompliſhed their Martyrdome. At
enna of S. *Iohn* Biſhop and Confeſſor.
Verona of S. *Probus* Biſhop. In *England* of
Benedict Abbot and Confeſſour.

F *The thirteenth Day.*

THe Octaue of the *Epiphanye* of our
Lord. At *Rome* in the way called *La-*
ta, of fourty holy Souldiers, who for
Confeſſion of the true Fayth, vnder
mus Emperour deſerued to be crowned
h Martyrdome. In *Sardinia* of S. *Potitus*
tyr, who hauing ſuffered much affli-
n vnder *Antoninus* Emperour, and Ge-
Preſident, at laſt finiſhed his Martyr-
dome

a Novv called Semēder

dome by the ſword. At (a) *Singi*
vpper *Miſia* of the holy Martyr
Stratonicus, who vnder *Licini*
rour, after cruell torments, we
in the riuer *Iſter*. At *Corduba*,
Martyrs *Gumeſindus* Prieſt, ar
monke. At (b) *Poytiers* in *France*
of S. *Hilarius* Biſhop and Con
for conſtantly defending the
faith being baniſhed foure year
gia, amongſt other miracles ra
man to life: but his feaſt is kept
lowing. At *Caſarea* in *Cappadoc*
tius Biſhop, who vnder *Licinius*
terward vnder *Conſtantine*, d
withſtand the *Gentils* & *Arrian*
of S. *Agritius* Biſhop. In the n
(c) *Verſy* of S. *Viuentius* Confeſſo
in *Pontus* of S. *Glaphyra* Virgin

b Pictauium.

c Verſiacum.

G *The fourtenth I*

AT *Nola* in *Campania* the
S. *Felix* Prieſt, who, a
wryteth, after many torment
into pryſon by the perſecutor
bound hand and foote vpon
and pot-ſheards, was in the n
and deliuered by an Angell:

ſecution ceaſing, after he had by his holy example of life and learning conuerted many to the fayth of Chriſt, famous for miracles, ended his dayes in peace. In *Iury* of S. *Malachias* Prophet. In Mount *Sina* of thirty eight holy Monkes, ſlayne by the *Saracens* for the fayth of Chriſt. In *Aegypt*, in the Cõtrey of *Raithy*, of fourty and three holy monkes, who for the Chriſtian Religion were killed of the *Blemmyes*. At *Millane* of S. *Datius* Biſhop and Confeſſour, of whome S. *Gregory* Pope maketh mention. In *Affrica* of S. *Euphraſius* Biſhop. In *Syria* of S. *Iulian* of *Saba*, the elder, who in the tyme of *Valens* the Emperour, by vertue of miracles reſtored againe the Catholique fayth at *Antioch*, there almoſt extinguiſhed. At *Neocæſarea* of S. *Macrina* Diſciple of S. *Gregory Thaumaturgus*, and Grandmother to S. *Baſill*, who brought him vp in the Chriſtian fayth.

A *The fiftenth Day.*

IN the territory of (a) *Angiers*, of S. *Maurus* Abbot, diſciple of S. *Benet*, who being inſtructed by him from his infancy, how much he profited by his diſcipline, amongſt other *miracles*, he declared by walking vpon the water (a ſtrange thing, & not vſe

ſince the tyme of S. *Peter*) and being ſ
to *France*, after he had there erected
mous Monaſtery, of which he was
fourty yeares, glorious for miracles,
in peace. In *Iury* of the holy Prophe
cuc, and *Micheas*, whoſe bodies were
by diuine reuelation in the dayes of I
ſius the Elder. At *Anagnia* of S. *Secundin*
gin and Martyr, who ſuffered vnder
the Emperour. At (h) *Carelis* in *Sard*
S. *Ephiſius* Martyr, who in the perſe
of *Diocletian*, vnder *Flauianus* Iudge
many torments ouercome by diuine
at laſt beheaded, went victoriouſly t
uen. At *Nola* in *Campania* of S. *Maxim*
ſhop. At (c) *Auuergne* in France, of *S.*
Biſhop and Confeſſour. In *Aegypt*
Macarius Abbot, diſciple to S. *Antony*
famous for lyfe and miracles. More
Bleſſed *Iſidore* renowned for holines
fayth, and miracles. At *Rome* of S. *Iol*
libita, who liuing for a time, in a cor
his Fathers houſe vnknowne, and
ward in a little cottage in the Iland
ber, in his death made knowne to h
rents, famous for miracles, was buried
ſame place, where afterwards was e
a Church in his honour.

B *The sixteenth Day.*

AT *Rome* in the way called *Salaria*, the birth-day of S. *Marcellus* Pope and Martyr, who for confession of the Catholique Fayth, by commaundment of *Maxentius* the Tyrant, first beaten with clubs, was constrayned to serue beasts, with a publike guarde appointed ouer him, where apparelled in haire-cloath he ended his life. At *Marocco* in *Affrica* the passion of fiue holy Martyrs of the order of S. *Francis*, *Berardus*, *Petrus*, *Accursius*, *Adiutus*, and *Otho*. At (a) *Arles* of *Saint Honoratus* Bishop and Confessor, whose lyfe was famous for learning and miracles. At (b) *Vderzo* of *S. Titianus* Bishop and Confessor. At *Rhinocura* in *Aegypt* of S. *Melas* Bishop, who vnder *Valens* the Emperour, suffering banishment with other afflictions for the Catholique fayth, rested in peace. At (c) *Fondi* in *Campania* of S. *Honoratus* Abbot, of whome S. *Gregory* Pope maketh mention. In the Monastery of *Perone* in *France*, of S. *Furseus Confessor*. At *Rome* of S. *Priscilla*, who deuoted herselfe wholy to the seruice of Martyrs.

a At

b O tergi

c Fu

C *The ſeauenteenth Day.*

IN *Thebais* of S. *Antony* Abbot, who being Father of many monkes, liued in great fame of lyfe and miracles; of whoſe Acts S. *Athanaſius* hath written a worthy Treatiſe. His ſacred body being found by reuelation in the dayes of *Iuſtinian* the Emperour, and brought to *Alexandria*, was there buryed in the Church of S. *Iohn Baptiſt*.

Linn. At (a) *Langres* of the Saints *Speuſippus*, *Eleuſippus*, and *Meleuſippus*, all borne at a byrth, who togeather with their Graundmother *Leonilla* were martyred in the dayes of *Marcus Aurelius* the Emperour. At *Rome* the Inuention of the holy Martyrs *Diodorus* Prieſt, *Marianus* Deacon, and their fellowes, who in the time of S. *Stephen* Pope, whiles they celebrated the feaſt of Martyrs, in the place called *Arenarium*, the entrance of the Caue being ſtopt by the perſecutours, and the vault ouer, broken downe vpon them, obteyned a Crowne of Martyrdome. At (b) *Bourges* the depoſition of S. *Sulpitius* Biſhop, ſurnamed *Pius*, whoſe lyfe and death was pretious by many glorious miracles. At *Rome* in the monaſtery of S. *Andrew*, of *the holy Monkes Antony*, Merulus, and Iohn,

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&

whome S. *Gregory* Pope maketh men-
on.

D *The eighteenth Day.*

THE *Chayre* of S. *Peter* the Apoſtle, wherein he firſt ſate at *Rome*. There o, the Paſſion of S. *Priſca* Virgin and rtyr, who vnder *Claudius* the Empe-r, after many torments, receaued a owne of Martyrdome. In *Pontus*, the th-day of the holy Martyrs *Moſeus*, and *monius* ſouldiers, who being condem-d to digge in the mettall mines, at laſt re burned. There alſo of S. *Athenogenes* anciēt Deuine, who when he was to be ned, ſong ioyfully a Hymne, which he in writing to his diſciples. At (a) *Tours* *France* of S. *Voluſian* Biſhop, who taken the *Gothes*, and baniſhed, gaue vp his le to God. There alſo of S. *Leobardus* chorer, a man of wonderfull abſtinence humility. In *little Britany* of S. *Deicola* bot, diſciple to S. *Columbane*. At (b) *No-mum* of S. *Liberata* Virgin.

a Turo nes.

b Not called Come

E *The nineteenth Day.*

T *Rome* in the way called Cornelia, of the *holy* Martyrs Marius, and Martha

his wyfe, and of their children *Audifax*
Abachum Noble *Perſians*, who in the tim
Claudius the Emperour, came to *Rom*
deuotion, and there being beaten
cudgels, racked, tormented by fyre, t
with iron hookes, and their hands cut
Martha was at laſt killed in the pla ca
Nimpha, and the others beheaded, and
bodyes burnt. At *Smirna*, the birth-d
Bleſſed *Germanicus* Martyr, who in
flower of his youth, vnder *Marcus An*
nus, and *Lucius Aurelius*, condemned t
beaſts, by the force of Gods grace, wit
all feare, prouoked of his owne accord
beaſt prepared to deuoure him; & ſo t
and ground with his teeth, deſerued t
incorporated into the true bread of
Chriſt Ieſus, for whome he dyed. In *A*
of the holy Martyrs *Paulus*, *Gerontius*, I
rius, *Saturninus*, *Succeſſus*, *Iulius*, *Catus*, *Pia*
Germana. At *Spoletum* the paſſion of S.
tianus Martyr, who in the tyme of *An*
nus the Emperour, after he had beene c
ly whipped, by commandemẽt of *Fab*
Iudge, was compelled to walke, vpon
burning coles barefoote; wherwith r
uing no harme, was then tormented
the racke called *Equuleus*, and with
hookes; And after all this being caſt
pr

ſon, where he was comforted by an
gell; throwne alſo vnto the Lyons, and
mented with boyling lead, was finally
eaded. At (a) *Lodi* of S. *Baſsianus* Biſhop a L
d Confeſſour, who togeather with S. dun
roſe valiantly reſiſted the Heretikes.

F *The twentith Day.*

AT *Rome*, the birth-day of S. *Fabian* Pope, who ſuffered Martyrdome in tyme of *Decius*, and was buryed in the urch yard of *Calliſtus*. There alſo, at the ce called *Catacumbæ*, of S. *Sebaſtian* Mar-, who vnder *Diocletian* the Emperour, ng Chiefe Commander of the firſt Band ouldiers, was for profeſſing the Chri-n fayth, commanded to be bound in the lſt of the field, & ſhot with arrowes by ſouldiers, and finally beaten with club-vntill he dyed. At *Nice* in *Bithynia* of S. *hytus* Martyr, who being but fifteene res of age, was firſt cruelly whipped, 1 caſt into a burning fornace, throwne vnto the beaſts, and yet receauing no t, ſtill conſtantly profeſſing the fayth of riſt, was finally beheaded. At *Ceſena* of *Laurus* Biſhop, renowned for vertues & *cles*. *In Paleſtine* the birthday of S. Eu-

thymius Abbot, who in the tyme of *Marcian* the Emperour was famous in the Church for zeale of Catholique diſcipline, and power of working miracles.

G *The one and twentith Day.*

AT *Rome* the Paſſion of S. *Agnes* Virgin, who vnder *Symphronius* Gouernour of the Citty, being caſt into the fyre, but extinguiſhed by the vertue of her prayers, dyed by the ſword. Of whome thus writeth S. *Hierome*: *Agnes* the Virgin, by conſent, of the tongues and pens of all Nations, hath borne away the chiefe prayſe throughout all Churches; who ſurmounting both her Age, and the Tyrants cruelty, conſecrated her Virginity to God by Martyrdome. At *Athens*, the birthday of S. *Publius* Biſhop, who after S. *Dennis* of *Areopagita*, gouerned moſt laudably the Church of *Athens*, and renowned for learning and vertue, for the teſtimony of Chriſt receaued a glorious Crowne. At *Tarragona* in *Spayne*, of the holy Martyrs *Fructuoſus* Biſhop, *Auguriu*s, and *Eulogius* Deacons, who in the dayes of *Galienus* Emperour, firſt caſt into *pryſon*, then throwne into the fire, & their *fetters burned*, ſtreching out their armes in

prayer, in forme of a Croſſe, accompliſh their Martyrdome. Vpon whoſe feaſt *S. Auſtine* made a Sermon to the people. At(*Trois* of S. *Patroclus* Martyr, who vnd *Aurelianus* the Emperour, deſerued a Crow ne of Martyrdome. In *France* in the Mona ſtery of(b) *Ewe* of S. *Meinardus* Hermit, wh was killed by theeues. At *Pauia* of S. *Ep phanius* Biſhop and Confeſſour.

A *The two and twentith Day*.

AT *Valentia* in *Arragon* of *Spayne*, of S *Vincent* Deacon and Martyr, who vn der *Dacian* the moſt wicked Preſident, afte he had ſuffered impriſonment, hunger, th torture *Equuleus*, diſioynting of his mem bers, hoate fiery plates, the burning gridi ron, and other torments, went triumphant ly to heauen, there to receaue the rewar of his Martyrdome. Whoſe glorious paſſio *Prudentius* hath elegantly ſet downe in ver ſe; and S. *Auguſtine* and S. Leo the Pope de exceedingly commend. At *Rome*, at the wa ters called *Saluiæ*, of S. *Anaſtaſius* a *Perſian* Monke, who after many torments of im priſonment, ſtripes & fetters, which he ſuf fered at *Ceſaræa* in *Paleſtine*, was by Coſroe *King of Perſia* grieuouſly afflicted, and

laſt beheaded; hauing ſent bef
Martyrdome threeſcore and ten
lowes, who were drowned in a
head was afterward brought t
geather with his Venerable Pic
ſight whereof Diuels were dri
and diſeaſes cured, as the acts of
1 Ebro- Councell of *Nice* do record. A
lunum. in *France*, of the holy Martyr
Orontius and *Victor*, who in the
of *Diocletian* were crowned w
dome. At *Nouara* of S. *Gaudentiu*
Confeſſour. At *Sora* of S. *Domin*
famous for miracles.

B *The three and twentit*

AT *Rome* of S. *Emerentiana*
Martyr, who as yet but
men, or vnbaptized, praying a
cher of S. *Agnes* (whoſe foſter-ſi
beene) was ſtoned to death by t
At *Philippi* in *Macedonia* of S. *Pa*
of the ſeauen firſt Deacons, wh
the grace of God, faythfully fu
office of preaching committed
ge, vnder *Traian*, obteyned th
Martyrdome. At *Cæſarea* in M
the holy Martyrs *Seuerianus*, a

wife, consumed by fyre. At (a) *Anthios* a Citty in *Aegypt*, of S. *Asclas* Martyr, who after diuers torments, being throwne headlong into a riuer, gaue vp his pretious soule to God. At *Ancyra* in *Galatia* of S. *Clement* Bishop, who oftentimes tormented, at length accomplished his Martyrdome vnder *Diocletian*. In the same place of S. *Agathangelus*, who suffered the same day vnder *Lucius* President. At *Alexandria* of S. *Iohn*, surnamed *Eleemosynarius*, Bishop of the same Citty, most renowned for his workes of mercy to the poore. At (b) *Toledo* of S. *Ildefonsus* Bishop, who for his singular integrity of life, & defeding the Virginity of the mother of God against certaine Heretiques that impugned the same, receaued of her a most white Vestement, and finally famous for Holynes, was called vnto Heauen. In the Prouince of *Valeria*, of S. *Matyrius* monke, of whome S. *Gregory* the Pope maketh mention.

a Antinoum.

b Tolitum.

C *The foure and twentith Day.*

THE birth-day of S. *Timothy* Disciple to S. *Paul* the Apostle, who by him created Bishop of *Ephesus*, hauing endured many *bitter agonies* for Christ, as he one day reprehen-

reprehended ſuch as offered ſacrifice to *Diana*, was ſtoned, & a litle after went to reſt in our Lord. At *Antioch* of S. *Babylas* Biſhop, who in the perſecution of *Decius*, hauing greatly glorified God by his oftē ſufferings and torments, ended his life glorioufly in chaynes of iron, with which he commaunded his body to be buryed. There are ſaid to haue ſuffered with him, three children *Vrbanus*, *Prilidianus*, and *Epolonius*, whome he had inſtructed in the fayth of Chriſt. At *Neoceſarea* of the holy Martyrs *Mardonius*, *Muſonius*, *Eugenius* & *Metellus*, who being all burned, their reliques were throwne into the Riuer. At (a) *Fuligno* of S. *Felicianus*, who created Biſhop of the ſame Citty by Pope *Victor*, after many labours ſuſteyned, in his decrepite old age, vnder *Decius*, was crowned with Martyrdome. Moreouer, of the holy Martyrs *Thyrſus* and *Proiectus*. At *Bolonia* of S. *Zamas* the firſt Biſhop of that Citty, who conſecrated by S. *Dionyſius* Pope of *Rome*, did greatly propagate the fayth of Chriſt in thoſe partes. Alſo of bleſſed *Suranus* Abbot, who in the tyme of the *Lōbards* flouriſhed for ſanctity of life.

Fulgi-
im.

The fiue and twentith Day.

E Conuerſion of S. *Paul* the Apo-
le, which hapned the ſecõd yeare af-
Sauiours Aſcenſion. At *Damaſcus* the
ay of S. *Ananias*, that baptized the
poſtle; who hauing preached the
ll at *Damaſcus*, *Eleutherople*, and in o-
aces, was vnder *Licinius* Iudge ſcour-
nd torne with nerues; and finally
to death, accompliſhed his Martyr-
At *Antioch* of the holy Martyrs *Iuuen-*
d *Maximus* martyred vnder *Iulian* the
ta: on whoſe feaſt S. *Io. Chryſoſtome*
Sermõ to the people. At(a) *Auuergne* a Arue
Saints *Proiectus* Biſhop, and *Marinus* a
l man, who ſuffered Martyrdome by
ouernours of that Citty. Moreouer
oly Martyrs *Donatus*, *Sabinus* and *A-*
t *Tomis* in *Scythia*. Of S. *Bretannion* Bi-
who for holynes of life and zeale of
tholique fayth, vnder *Valens* the *Ar-*
nperour, whome he ſtoutly reſiſted,
nowned in the Church of Chriſt. At
s in *Fraunce*, of S. *Poppo* Abbot, fa- b Ab
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E *The five and twentith Day.*

AT *Smyrna* the birth-day of S. *Polyc*
pus, Disciple to *Saint Iohn* the Ap
stle, who by him made Bishop of that cit
and Primate of all *Asia*, was afterwards m
der *Marcus Antonius*, and *Lucius Aurelius C*
modus (the Proconsul sitting in Iudgeme
and all the people crying out against h
in the Amphitheater) cast into the fyre, h
nothing hurt thereby, thrust through wi
a sword, receaued the Crowne of M
tyrdome. With whome also, twelue ot
comming from *Philadelphia*, ended their
ues in the same Citty. At *Hippo-regius*
Affrica, of the Saints *Theogenes* Bishop, a
thirty six others, who in the persecution
Valerianus contemning temporall death, r
teyned a Crowne of eternall life. At *Be*
leem-Iuda, the Departure of S. *Paula* Wi
dow, Mother to S. *Eustochium* Virgin
Christ, who descended of the noble blo
of Senators, forsaking the world, and dis
buting her goods to the poore, transpor
herself to the (a) Cribbe of our Lord, wh
adorned with many vertues, and crown
with long Martyrdome, she passed to a h
uenly Kingdome. Whose life full of w

derfull Vertues, is written by S. *Hierome*. In the Territory of *Paris* of S. *Bathildes* Queene renowned for holynes of life and miracles.

F *The ſeauen and twentith Day.*

AT *Conſtantinople* of S. *Iohn* Biſhop (for his goulden veyne of Eloquence furnamed *Chryſoſtome*) who by his preaching, and exemplar life much aduanced the Chriſtian Religion; and after many labours ended his life in baniſhment. His body vpon this day was brought to *Conſtantinople* vnder *Theodoſius* the younger; and thence tranſlated to *Rome*, was placed in the Church of S. Peter. At *Sora* of *Saint Iulian* Martyr, who in the perſecution of *Antoninus*, for that an Idolatrous Tẽple fell to the groũd whilſt he was tortured, gayned a crowne of Martyrdome with the loſſe of his head. In *Affrica* of S. *Auitus* Martyr. There alſo of the holy Martyrs *Datius*, *Reatrius*, and their fellowes, who ſuffered in the perſecution of the *Wandals*. Moreouer of the Saints *Datinus*, *Iulianus*, *Vincentius*, & other twenty & ſeauen Martyrs. At *Rome* of *S. Vitalianus* Pope. At (a) *Mans* the depoſition of S. *Iulian* the firſt Biſhop of that Citty, who was ſent thither by *S. Peter to preach* the Goſpell. In the mona-

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ſtery of *Bobacum* of S. *Maurus* Abbot.

G *The eyght and twentith Day.*

AT *Rome* the ſecond feaſt of S. *Ag*
There alſo of *S. Flauianus* Mar
who ſuffered vnder *Diocletian*. At *Apoll*
of the holy Martyrs *Thyrſus*, *Leucius* & C
nicus, who in the dayes of *Decius* the Em
rour, hauing all three endured diuers
ments, *Thyrſus* and *Callinicus* were beh
ded; & *Leucius* called by a voyce from h
uen, giuing vp the Ghoſt, they all acco
pliſhed their Martyrdome. In *Thebais* of
holy Martyrs *Leonides* & his fellowes, w
obtayned the palme of Martyrdome vn
Diocletian. At *Alexandria*, the Commemo
tion of many holy Martyrs, who by the
ction of *Syrianus* an *Arrian* Captaine, wh
they were at Maſſe, were this day diuer
put to death. There alſo of S. *Cyrill* Biſh
of that Citty, who moſt valiantly def
Cæſar-guſta. Cona. ding the Catholique fayth, famous
learning and ſanctity, reſted in peace. A
Saragoza of S. *Valerius* Biſhop. At (b) *Cue*
in *Spayne*, the birth-day of S. *Iulian* Biſh
who beſtowing the goods of his Chu
vpon the poore, & in Apoſtolicall mann
getting his liuing by the labour of his h
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imous for miracles, reſted in peace. In the nonaſtery of *Rhemes* the depoſition of S. *ohn* Prieſt, a man of God. In *Paleſtine* of S. *ames Hermit*, who for that he had fallen rom his fayth, lay ſecretly a long tyme in a epulcher doing pennance, & full of mira-les went vnto our Lord.

A *The nyne and twentith Day.*

AT *Rome*, in the way called *Nomentana*, the birth-day of the holy Martyrs *Pa-as* and *Maurus* ſouldiers, who vnder *Diocle-an* the Emperour, for the confeſſion of Chriſt, by commaundement of *Laodicius* rouernour of the Citty, being caſt into ryſon, and their mouthes bruſed with ones, were after beaten with clubbes, and aſtly ſcourged with leaden whippes, vn-ill they gaue vp the Ghoſt. At *Perugia* of S. *onſtantius* Biſhop and Martyr, who vnder *Marcus Aurelius* Emperour, for defence f the fayth, togeather with his fellowes, eceaued the Crowne of Martyrdome. At *deſſa* in *Syria* of the holy Martyrs *Sarbelius* nd *Barbea* his ſiſter, who baptized by bleſ-d *Barſimaus* Biſhop, were vnder *Liſias* rouernour, in the perſecution of Traian. *owned with* Martyrdome. In the terri-

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tory of (a) *Trois* of S. *Sabinianus* Martyr, who by commaundment of *Aurelian* the Emperour was beheaded for the fayth of Christ. At *Millan* of S. *Aquilinus* Prieſt, who thruſt thorough the throate, with a ſword, by the *Arrians*, was crowned with Martyrdome. At *Treuers* the depoſition of Bleſſed *Valerius* Biſhop, diſciple to *S. Peter*. At (b) *Bourges* of *S. Sulpitius Seuerus* Biſhop, ſcholler to *S. Martin*, greatly renowned for his vertue and learning.

B *The thirtith Day.*

AT *Antioch* the Paſſion of *S. Hippolytus* Prieſt, who for a time deceaued with the ſchiſme of *Nouatus*, but afterward by the grace of Chriſt, returning to the vnity of the Church, and being demaunded which was the truer ſect, he deteſting the hereſy of *Nouatus*, and affirming that fayth which the Chayre of *Peter* did hould, ought to be imbraced, ſuffered for defence therof a glorious Martyrdome. In *Affrica* the paſſion of the holy Martyrs *Felicianus*, *Philappianus*, and an hũdred & twenty foure others. At *Edeſſa* in *Syria* of *S. Barſimæus* Bithop, who after he had conuerted many Gentiles to the true fayth of Chriſt, and ſent them before to b

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crowned with martyrdome, followed himselfe in triumphant manner, vnder *Traian*. There also of *S. Barsem* Bishop, famous for the grace of curing diseases, who banished into the furtheſt parts of that Countrey, for the Catholique fayth, by *Valens* the *Arrian* Emperour, there ended his dayes. Moreouer of S. *Alexander*, venerable for grauity & yeare, who for the constant profession of his fayth vnder *Decius*, in midſt of his tortures gaue vp the Ghoſt. At *Hieruſalem* the birthday of *S. Matthias* Bishop, of whome many wonderfull thinges are recounted. This man, vnder *Adrian* the Emperour, hauing endured much for Christ, at length ended his dayes in peace. At *Rome* of *S. Felix* Pope, the third of that name, who much laboured for the Catholique fayth. At *Pauia* of *S. Armentarius* Bishop and Confeſſour. In the monaſtery of (a) *Maubeuge* in *Haynault* of *S. Aldegunde* Virgin, who florished in the time of King *Dagobert*. At *Millan* of *S. Sauina* a woman of admirable deuotion, who as ſhe prayed at the tombe of the holy Martyrs *Nabor* and *Felix*, departed to our Lord.

a Malduin

C *The one and thirtith Day.*

AT *Rome*, in the way *Portuenſis*, of the *holy Martyrs Cyrus* & Iohn, who after

many torments endured for the Confeſſion of Chriſt, were beheaded. At *Alexandria* the birth-day of S. *Metranus* Martyr, who vnder *Decius* the Emperour, for refuſing to vtter certaine blaſphemous wordes, had by the Pagans his body all bruiſed with cudgels, and his face and eyes pierced with ſharp reedes; and after many like torments, being thruſt out of the Citty, was finally ſtoned to death. There alſo, of the holy Martyrs *Saturninus*, *Thirſus*, and *Victor*. In the ſame Citty of the holy Martyrs *Tharſicius*, *Zoticus*, *Cyriacus*, and their fellowes. At (*) *Cizicum* in *Helleſpont* of S. *Triphenes* Martyr, who hauing ouercome diuers torments, was at laſt killed by a bull, and ſo deſerued the palme of Martyrdome. At *Modena* of S. *Geminianus* Biſhop, renowned for miracles. At *Millan* of S. *Iulius* Prieſt and Confeſſour, in the dayes of *Theodoſius* the Emperour. At *Rome* of S. *Marcella* widdow, whoſe worthy prayſes S. *Hierome* hath left written. The ſame day, the Tranſlation of S. *Marke* the Euangeliſt, whoſe body, at the taking of *Alexandria* in *Aegypt* by the Barbarians, was brought thence to *Venice*, & there moſt honourably placed in the chiefe *Church*, dedicated in his Honour.

(*) Now called Lipo-

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D *The firſt Day.*

THE birth-day of S. *Ignatius* Biſhop and Martyr, who was the third after S. *Peter* the Apoſtle that gouerned the Church of *Antioch*; and in the perſecution of n the Emperour, condemned to the ;, was ſent bound to *Rome*, where in reſence of *Traian* himſelfe, and the le Senate, being firſt moſt cruelly tor-, ed, and then caſt vnto the Lyons, was to peeces in their teeth, and ſo became ifice *vnto Chriſt*. At *Smyrna* of S. Pio- *rieſt & Martyr*, who after many Apo-

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logies written for the Christian fayth, being thrust into a stinking prison, where by exhortations he encouraged many to suffer Martyrdome, most cruelly tormented, and pierced through with nayles, being layd also vpon a hoate burning fire, made a blessed end; with whome fifteene others were put to death. At *Rauēna* of S. *Seuerus* Bishop, who for his great merits, was elected by the signe of a Doue. At (a) *Trois* of *S. Paul* Bishop, who was very famous for holynes of life, and miracles. The same day, of *S. Ephrem* Deacon of the Church of *Edeßa*, who after many labours endured for the fayth of Christ, renowned for sanctity & learning, vnder *Valens* Emperour, went to rest in our Lord. In *Scotland* of S. *Brigide* Virgin, who touching the wood of an Altar, in testimony of her Virginity, the same forth with became greene, and budded a fresh.

(a) ecc.

E *The second Day.*

THE *Purification* of the blessed Virgin *Mary*, called by the Greekes *Hypapante*, or, the Meeting of our Lord. At *Rome* in the way called *Salaria* the passion of *S. Apronianus* Notary, who being yet a Gētill, whilst he brought *S. Sisinius* out of prison, & presented

ſented him before *Laodicius* the Gouernour, hearing this voyce from heauen, *Come yee bleſſed of my Father, poſſeſſe the Kingdome which is prepared for you from the beginning of the world*, was forthwith baptized, & after receaued ſentence of death for the confeſſion of his fayth. Moreouer at *Rome*, of the holy Martyrs *Fortunatus, Felicianus, Firmus*, & *Candidus*. At *Cæſarea* in *Paleſtine* of *S. Cornelius* Centurion, whome *S. Peter* the Apoſtle baptized, and ordayned Biſhop of that Citty. At *Orleans* of *S. Floſculus* Biſhop. At *Canterbury* in *England* the birth-day of *S. Laurence* Biſhop, who next after *S. Auguſtine* gouerned a K. bald Kent that Church, and conuerted (a) the King to the fayth of Chriſt.

F *The third Day.*

AT *Sebaſte* in *Armenia* the paſſion of S. *Blaſe* Biſhop and Martyr, who after he had wrought many miracles, vnder *Agricolaus* Preſident being cruelly whipped, and hanged vp by the hands, and his fleſh all torne with iron Combes; caſt alſo into loathſome priſon, & plunged into a lake, out of which he came ſound and hole, by commaundment of the ſame Iudge, together *with two boyes*, was finally behea-

ded. Before him alſo, ſeauen Chriſti
men being apprehended for gather
the droppes of bloud, which ran
from his body whilſt he was torture
cruell torments were beheaded. In A
S. *Celerinus* Deacon, who kept in
nineteene dayes, loaden with fetters,
& otherwiſe tormented, made a gl
Confeſſion of Chriſt; and with an i
ble courage ouercomming his Enem
wed vnto others, the way of conq
Alſo of the holy Martyrs *Laurentinu*
natius his Vncle, and *Celerina* his
mother, who were all crowned wit
tyrdome before him: of whoſe renc
prayſes, there is extant an Epiſtle v
by *S. Cyprian.* There alſo of the hol
tyrs *Felix, Symphronius, Hippolytus,* and
lowes. In the Towne of *Vapinge*,
Saynts *Figides*; and *Remedius* Biſho
Lyons of the Saints *Lupicinus* and *Feli*
Biſhops. The ſame day of *S. Auſchar*
ſhop of *Bremn*, who conuerted the D
Sueuians to the fayth of Chriſt.

G *The fourth Day.*

AT *Rome* of S. Eutychius Martyr
hauing endured a glorious

dome; was buryed in the Church-yard of *Calliſtus*, whoſe Sepulcher *S. Damaſus* Pope adorned with verſes. At (a) *Foßan-bruno* of the holy Martyrs *Aquilinus*, *Geminus*, *Gelaſius*, *Magnus*, and *Donatus*. At *Themue* in *Aegypt* the Paſſiõ of bleſſed *Philaus* Biſhop of the ſame Citty, & of *Philoromus* a Coronel, who vnder *Diocletian*, when by no perſuaſion of kinred & friends, they could be withdrawne from offering their neckes to the ſword, deſerued triũphant Palmes: with whome an innumerable nũber of Chriſtians in that Citty, following the example of their Paſtour, were crowned with martyrdome. The ſame day of S. *Rembertus* Biſhop of *Brema*. At (a) *Trois* of *S. Auentinus* Confeſſour. At *Peluſium* in *Aegypt* of *S. Iſidorus* Monke, renowned for his merits and learning. The ſame day of *S. Gilbert* Confeſſour.

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A *The fifth Day.*

AT *Catana* in *Sicily* the birth-day of S. *Agatha* Virgin and Martyr, who, in the dayes of *Decius* the Emperour, vnder *Quinctianus* Iudge, after impriſonement, buffets, racking, cutting off her breaſtes, & rowling vp & downe vpon potſheards & hoate coales, at laſt in pryſon, whilſt he

ſhe was ptaying, accompliſhed her Martyrdome. In *Pontus* the Commemortion of many holy Martyrs, of which ſome in the perſecution of *Maximianus*, ſcalded with burning hoat Lead, others prickt vnder the nayles with ſharpe reedes, and vexed with many cruell torments often iterated, deſerued triumphant Crownes, by their glorious paſſion. At *Alexandria* of *S. Iſidorus* Martyr who in the perſecution of *Decius* was beheaded by *Numerianus* Generall of the Army, for the fayth of Chriſt. At *Vienna* of Bleſſed *Auitus* Biſhop and Confeſſor, by whoſe fayth, induſtry, and admirable learning, *France* was defended from the infection of the Arian Hereſy. At (a) *Brixen* of the holy Biſhops *Genuinus*, & *Albinus*, whoſe lyues were renowned for miracles.

℞ *The ſixth Day.*

AT *Cæſarea* in *Cappadocia* the birth-day of *S. Dorothy* Virgin and Martyr, who vnder *Sapricius* Preſident of that Prouince, firſt racked vpon the torture *Equuleus*, and afterward long beaten with the twigs of Palmes, was at laſt beheaded; by whoſe Martyrdome *Theophilus* a Student, was conuerted to the Fayth of Chriſt, who forthwith

with moſt cruelly tortured, ended his lyfe by the ſword. The ſame day of the holy Martyrs *Saturninus*, *Theophilus*, & *Reuocata*. At (a) *Emiſſa* in *Phœnicia* of S. *Siluanus* Biſhop who after he had gouerned the Biſhoprick of that Citty for fourty yeares, was with two others caſt vnto the beaſts, vnder *Maximinus* Emperour, and ſo torne in peeces receaued the palme of Martyrdome. At *Augustonemetum* in France, of *S. Antholianus* Martyr. The ſame day of the holy Biſhops *Vedaſtus* & *Amandus*, whoſe lyues and deathes were glorious for miracles; of whome the former was Biſhop of (b) *Arras*, and the later of (c) *Maſtricke*. At *Bononia* of *S. Guarinus* Biſhop & Cardinall of (d) *Palestrina*, renowned for ſanctity of life.

a Now called Hama

b Atrebatum

c Traiectum.

d Praeneſte.

C *The ſeauenth Day.*

AT *Rauenna* of S. *Romualdus* Abbot, Founder of the Monkes of the Order of *Camaldula*, whoſe chiefe Feſtiuity is celebrated vpon the nineteenth of *Iune*. At (a) *Auguſta* in *Britany* the birth-day of *S. Augulus* Biſhop, who crowned with Martyrdome, deſerued to receaue an eternall Reward. In *Phrygia* of S. *Adaucus* Martyr, an Italian of noble Extraction, who aduaunced to all

a Lodi

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there prepared; she deliberating a v
with herself, and sodenly breaking
them, inkindled with a greater flame
holy Ghost, did voluntarily leape int
tyre, to the great astonishment of the
thors of that cruelty, wondring to
woma more ready to accept of death,
they to execute the same. At *Rome* the
sion of the holy Martyrs *Alexander*, &
& thirty others, crowned at the same t
At *Sols* in *Cypus* of the holy Martyrs *A*
nius and *Alexander*. At *Antioch* of *S. Nicep*
Martyr, who vnder *Valerian* Emper
with losse of his head gayned a Crow
Martyrdome. In *Affrica*, in a Village c
Lemlens of the holy Martyrs *Primus*, and
natus Deacons, who defending an Al
the Church, were killed by the *Donatist*
the Monastery of *Fontanelle*, of *S. Ansber*
shop of (a) *Roan*. At (b) *Canosa* in *Apulia*
Sabinus Bishop and Confessour.

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F. *The tenth Day.*

AT *Rome* of the holy Martyrs *Zotic*
renaus, *Hyacinthus*, and *Amantius*. T
also in the way *Lauicana*, of ten holy S
diers Martyrs. Moreouer in the way c
Appia of *S. Soteres* Virgin and Martyr,
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deſcended of noble Extraction, as *S. Ambroſe* wryteth, and contemning, for the loue of Chriſt, the honourable Tytles & Honours of her parents, was for refuſing to do ſacrifice to the Idols, long and cruelly buffeted; and when ſhe had ouercome many other torments, ſtroken with the ſword, ſhe went ioyfully to her Spouſe. In *Campania* of S. *Sylueſtrus* Biſhop, and Confeſſour. At (a) *Male-uallis* in the Territory (b) of *Sens*, of S. *William* Hermite. At *Monte-Caſino* of S. *Scholaſtica* Virgin, ſyſter to *S. Benet* Abbot, who ſaw her ſoule fly vp to heauē, in lykenes of a Doue. In the territory of *Roan* of S. *Auſtreberta* Virgin, renowned for miracles.

G *The eleauenth Day.*

IN *Affrica* the birth-day of the holy Martyrs *Saturninus* Prieſt, *Datiuus*, *Felix*, *Ampelius*, and their fellowes, who being aſſembled to pray, according to the manner of Chriſtians, were in the perſecution of *Dioclatian*, apprehended by the ſouldiers, and ſuffered vnder the Proconſull *Anolinus*. In *Numidia* the Commemoration of many holy Martyrs, who in the ſame perſecutiō, when refuſing to deliuer vp holy bookes, according to the Edict of the Emperour,

punished

the second of that Name, who
enuage opposed himselfe aga
piety of *Leo Isaurius*, and sent S
preach the Gospell in *Germany*.
) Ande- the deposition of S. *Lucius* Bis
gauum. ned for his holynes. At *Lyon*
Bishop & Confessour. At (c) R
: Rome. phus Abbot, a man of wonderfu
at whose death the holy Angel
soule, and seene by all the com
Gregory Pope reciteth.

C *The fourteenth*

AT *Rome*, in the way *Fl*
birth-day of Blessed *Vale*
and Martyr, who after he had r
ny sicke persons to their health,
ded the Ignorant in the fayth
beaten with clubbes, was behe
Claudius the Emperour. Also at
holy Martyrs *Vitalis, Felicula* and
Inter- *Tarsma* of S. *Valentine* Bishop an
mna. who cruelly whipped, and the
ted in prison would not relent,
midnight drawen thence, by
demaur of *Placidus* Governour
sy, and beheaded. There also
Martyrs Proculus, Ephebus, and A

aying by night at the body of *S. Valen-*
e, by commaundment of *Leontius* a Sena-
r were apprehended, & put to the ſword.
: *Alexandria* of the holy Martyrs *Baſſus, An-*
ius, and *Protolicus*, who were drowned in
e ſea. Alſo of the holy Martyrs *Cyrion*
ieſt, *Baſianus* Lector, *Agatho* Exorciſt, and
yſes, who all conſumed with fyre, de-
ned to heauen. There alſo of the Saints
myſius, and *Ammonius*, who were behea-
d. At *Ravenna* of *S. Eleuchadius* Biſhop &
onfeſſor. In *Bithynia* of *S. Auxentius* Abbot.

(b) *Serrento* of *S. Antoninus* Abbot, who b Su
ien the monaſtery of *Monte-Caſſino* was rento
troyed by the *Lombardes*, retired himſelf
o the wilderneſſe neere adioyning, and
re renowned for holynes of life went to
t in our Lord: whoſe body is dayly glo-
ed by miracles, eſpecially in deliuering
onfeſſed perſons.

D *The fifteenth Day.*

IT (a) *Breſcia* the birth-day of the holy a Bria
Martyrs *Fauſtinus* and *Iouita*, who vn-
Adrianus Emperour, after many famous
bats ſuffered for the fayth of Chriſt,
ayned a victorious Crowne of Martyr-
e. *At Rome* of *S. Crate* Martyr, who

with his wyfe, and whole family
baptized by *S. Valentine* Biſhop, ſhort
ter, togeather with them, ended his l
Martyrdome. At (b) *Teramo* of S. *Agape*
Interamna. gin and Martyr. Alſo the birth-day
holy Martyrs *Saturninus, Caſtulus, Mag*
Lucius. At (c) *Vaiſon* in France of *S. Qui*
Vaſio. Biſhop, whoſe death was pretious
ſight of God by many renowned mir
At *Capua* of *S. Decoroſus* Biſhop and
feſſour. In the Prouince of *Valeria*, of
uerus Prieſt who by his teares reuiued a
man, as *S. Gregory* wryteth. At *Antioch*
Ioſeph Deacon. At *Auuergne* of S. G
Virgin.

E *The ſixteenth Day.*

THE birth-day of Bleſſed *Oneſim*
whome S. *Paul* wryteth to *Phil*
whome alſo he ordayned Biſhop of
ſus, after S. *Timothy*, and committed
him the preaching of the word of
This man being brought priſoner to
and ſtoned to death for the fayth of C
was firſt buried there, & afterward tra
ted to the place, where he had beene
ſhop. At (a) *Cuma* in Campania the tra
ne. *tion of S. Iuliana* Virgin, and Martyr

ed at *Nicomedia* vnder *Maximianus* Em-
r, being firſt moſt cruelly beaten by
wne Father *Africanus*, and after many
s tormented by *Eulaſius* the Gouer-
(whoſe mariage ſhe had contemned)
aſt into pryſon, where ſhe openly en-
ed with the Diuell; & at laſt hauing
omme both fyre, and water, accom-
d her Martyrdome, by being be-
d. In *Aegypt* of *S. Iulian* Martyr, with
ouſand more. At *Caſarea* in *Paleſtine*
holy Martyrs *Elias*, *Hieremias*, *Eſaias*,
l, and *Daniel* Ægyptians, who hauing
eir owne accord ſerued the Confeſ-
of Chriſt, that were condemned to
in the mettall mines of *Cilicia*, and re-
ng thence, being apprehended, and
y tormented by *Firmilianus* Preſident,
vnder *Maximinus* Emperour, laſtly
ded. With whome alſo S. *Porphyrius*
nt of *Pamphilus* the Martyr, and S. *Se-*
a *Cappadocian*, hauing often ſuffered
combats, and tormentes for Chriſt;
ne by fyre, the other by the ſword re-
d the Crowne of Martyrdome. At (b) 6 Brix
s of S. *Fauſtinus* Biſhop & Confeſſour.

F *The seauenteenth Day.*

AT *Rome* the Passion of S. *Faust* whome foure and fourty others lowed to the Crowne of Martyrdom *Persia* the birth-day of S. *Polychronius* Bi of *Babylon*, who in the persecution of I hauing his mouth all bruised with st stretching out his hands, and lifting v eyes to heauen, gaue vp his soule to At *Concordia* of the holy Martyrs *Do Secundianus*, & *Romulus*, togeather with score and six others all partakers of the Crowne. At *Cæsarea* in *Palestine* of S. *Th lus* an ancient man, of the family of I *lianus* the President, who moued wit torments of Martyrs, was for the cor profession of Christ fastened to a Cro by so noble a Triumph, deserued a gl Crowne of Martyrdome. There also *Iulian* a *Cappadocian*, who for kissing th dies of the Martyrs, was accused for a stian, and being brought before the was commaunded to be burnt with a fyre. In the territory of (a) *Teruane* of *uinus* Bishop of *Tolosa*. In *Scotland* of S *tanus* Priest and Confessour.

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G *The eighteenth Day.*

AT *Hieruſalem* the birth-day of S. *Simeõ* Biſhop, & Martyr, who by tradition aid to haue been the ſonne of *Cleophas*, kinſman to our Sauiour according to h. He was created Biſhop of *Hieruſalem* tt after S. *Iames* the brother of our Lord, l in the perſecution of *Traian* hauing en- ed many torments, finiſhed his Martyr- ne; all that were preſent, and the Iudge ıſelf, admiring how a man of ſix ſcore ıres of age, could with ſuch fortitude & nſtãcy endure the torment of the Croſſe. *Oſtia* of the holy Martyrs *Maximus* and *udius* brothers, and *Prapedigna* wyfe to *udius*, with her two ſonnes *Alexander* & *ias*, who deſcended of noble Extraction, re by commaundment of *Diocletian* firſt rehended, and ſent into banniſhment; afterward being conſumed with fyre, y offered vp to our Lord a moſt ſweet rifice of Martyrdome. Their holy Reli- s being caſt into a riuer, were found af- ward by the Chriſtians, and buryed re to the ſame City. In *Affrica* of the ly Martyrs *Lucius*, *Syluanus*, *Rutulus*, *Claſ-* *Secundinus*, *Fructules*, and *Maximus*. At

Conſtantinople of S. *Flauianus* Biſhop, wh
for conſtantly defending the Catholiq
fayth at *Epheſus*, was by the faction of wic
ked *Dioſcorus*, after ſore beating and buf
fing, caſt into baniſhment, where wit
three dayes he ended his life. At *Toledo* of
Helladius Biſhop and Confeſſour.

The vincteenth Day.

AT *Rome* the birth-day of S. *Gelas*
Prieſt and Martyr (brother to bleſſ
Caius Pope) who caſt into pryſon by *Di*
cletian, and there for a long time pined a
afflicted, purchaſed the ioyes of heauen b
a pretious death. In *Affrica* of the holy Ma
tyrs *Publius*, *Iulianus*, *Marcellus*, and othe
In *Paleſtine* the Commemoration of man
holy Monkes, and others, Martyrs, who f
the fayth of Chriſt were barbarouſly flayn
by the *Saracens*, vnder their Captaine *Al*
mundarus. At *Hieruſalem* of S. *Zambdas* B
ſhop. At *Soli* of S. *Auxibius* Biſhop. At *B*
neuentum of S. *Barbatus* Biſhop, who
nowned for holynes of life, conuerted t
Lombards, and their Captaine to the fayth
Chriſt. At *Millan* of S. *Manſuetus* Biſhop
Confeſſour.

B *The twentith Day.*

AT *Tyrus* in *Phœnicia*, the Commemoration of the Bleſſed Martyrs, whoſe number only God knoweth, who vnder *Diocletian* the Emperour, were by *Veturius* Generall of the Army, killed one after another by diuers kinds of torments: firſt they had their bodyes all torne with whippes, then caſt vnto diuers kinds of beaſts to be deuoured, but preſerued by diuine power from all hurt, and laſtly by the fury of fyre and ſword, they all accompliſhed their Martyrdome. All which glorious company were encouraged to this combat, by *Tyranio*, *Siluanus*, *Peleus*, and *Nilus* Biſhops, and *Zenobius* Prieſt, who together with thē moſt happily obtayned a tryumphant Palme of Martyrdome. In the Iland of *Cyprus* of the holy Martyrs *Pothamius* and *Nemeſius*. At *Conſtantinople* of *S. Eleutherius* Biſhop, and Martyr. In *Perſia* the birth-day of S. *Sádoth* Biſhop, and of an hundred & twenty eight others, who vnder *Sapores* King of the *Perſians*, for refuſing to adore the Sūne, by cruell deaths obtayned renowned Crownes. At *Catana* in *Sicily* of S. *Leo* Biſhop, who ſhined with vertues, and miracles. The ſame

day of S. *Eucherius* Biſhop of *Orl*
the more he was ſlaundered by
tongues, the more famous he b
miracles. At *Tournay* in *France* of S
rius Biſhop and Confeſſour.

C *The one and twentith I*

IN *Sicily* the birth-day of ſeau
nyne holy Martyrs, who vnd
tian the Emperour by diuers kin
ments, deſerued Crownes for th
a Adru- ſion of their fayth. At (a) *Mahome*
metum. *frica* of the holy Martyrs *Verulus*
nus, *Syricius*, *Felix*, *Seruulus*, *Saturnin*
natus, and ſixteene others, who in
ſecution of the *Wandalls*, were
b Now with Martyrdome, for confeſſio
called Bethſan. Catholike faith. At (b) *Scythopolis* i
of S. *Seuerianus* Biſhop and Marty
maſcus of S. *Peter* furnamed *Maxime*
for ſaying to certayne *Arabians*, tha
viſit him being ſicke(Whoſoeuer
imbrace the Chriſtian Catholique
damned, as is your falſe Prophet
c Metæ. was by them killed. At *Rauenna* o
d Brixia. *mianus* Biſhop and Confeſſour. A
of S. Felix Biſhop. At (d) *Breſcia* o
rius Biſhop.

D *The two and twentith Day.*

AT *Antioch* the Chayre of *Saint Peter* the Apostle, where the Disciples of Christ were first of all called *Christians*. At (a) *Hierapolis* in *Phrygia* of Blessed *Papias* Bishop of that Citty, Disciple of S. *Iohn* the Apostle, & Condisciple of S. *Polycarpe*. At (b) *Salamina* in *Cyprus* of S. *Aristio*, who, as the forsayd *Papias* witnesseth, was one of the seauenty and two Disciples of Christ. In *Arabia* the Commemoration of many holy Martyrs, who were most Tyrannically killed vnder *Maximinus* the Emperour. At *Alexandria* of S. *Abilius* Bishop, who succeeded S. *Marke* the Euangelist in the same sea, greatly renowned for his vertues. At *Vienna* of S. *Paschasius* Bishop, a man of great Learning and Holynes.

a N cal Hi

b I Fa sta

E *The three and twentith Day.*

THE Vigill of S. *Matthias* Apostle. At *Sirmium* of S. *Sirenus* Monke & martyr who being apprehended by commaundement of *Maximian* the Emperour, and confessing himself to be a Christian, was beheaded. *There also* the birth-day of seauē-

ty.

ty two holy Martyrs, who by su
the same Citty, obteyned an e
Kingdome. At *Rome* of S. *Polycarp*
who togeather with S. *Sebastian* c
many to the fayth of Christ, an
exhortation brought them to the
Martyrdome. In the *Citty* of (a) *Ast*
Martha Virgin and Martyr, wh
vnder *Decius* the Emperour, an
Proconsull. At *Constantinople* of
Monke, who for paynting holy
was put to cruell torments, by co
ment of *Theophilus* the Emperour,
(b) *Iconoclasta*. This man hauing
burnt with an hoate iron, but a
culously cured, did paynt a new
ges, as were defaced, and at last d
turall death. At *Brescia* of S. *Feli*
At (c) *Seuill* in *Spayne* of *S. Floren*
fessour. At (d) *Todi* of S. *Roman*
who baptized by S. *Syluester* Po
holy lyfe, in caues, and dennes, r
for the glory of miracles. In *Engl*
Milburge Virgin, daughter to th
the *Mercians*.

a Aust-
rica.

b Ima-
ge-brea-
ker.

c His-
palis.

d Tuder-
num.

¶ *In the Bissextile (or Leap-y*
foure and twentith Day is to be read tw
bath vpon the 24. & 25. Day. And th

23. *Day, is omitted in the beginning therof this Clauſe.* The Vigill of S. Matthias Apoſtle. *going forward with the reſt.* At *Sirmium* &c. *And vpon the* 24. *Day is read only as followeth:* The Vigill of S. Matthias Apoſtle. Alſo the Commemoration of many Saints, Martyrs and Confeſſours, and holy Virgins. To whoſe prayers &c. *And vpon the* 25. *Day, is read as followeth heere vpon the* 24. In Iury the birth-day of S. Matthias &c.

F *The foure and twentith Day (or* 25.

IN *Iury* the birth-day of S. *Matthias* Apoſtle, who after the Aſcenſion of our Lord, being by the Apoſtles choſen in the place of *Iudas* the *Traitor*, for preaching of the Ghoſpell ſuffered Martyrdome. At *Rome* of S. *Primitiua* Martyr. At *Cæſarea* in *Cappadocia* of S. *Sergius* Martyr, whoſe renowned actes are yet extant. In *Affrica* of the holy Martyrs *Montanus, Lucius, Iulianus, Victoricus, Flauianus*, and theyr fellowes, who being Diſciples of S. *Cyprian*, vnder *Valerian* the Emperour accompliſhed their Martyrdome. At (a) *Roan* the paſſion of S. *Pretextatus* Biſhop and Martyr. At *Treuers* of S. *Modeſtus* Biſhop and Confeſſour. In *England* of S. *Ethelbert* King of Kent, whome S. Auguſtine

a Rhtoma gum

ſtine the Apoſtle of the Engliſh conu
to the fayth of Chriſt. At *Hieruſalem*,
firſt finding of the head of S. *Iohn Baptiſ*
Precurſour of our Lord.

G *The fiue and twentith Day. (or*

IN *Aegypt* the birth-day of the holy M
tyrs *Victorinus*, *Victor*, *Nicephorus*, *Clau*
nus, *Dioſcorus*, *Serapion*, and *Papias*, vnder
merianus the Emperour. The two firſt
uing conſtantly endured exquiſite
ments, were beheaded for the confeſſio
their fayth. *Nicephorus*, after he had
uercome the burning Gridiron, and
fyre, was by little and little cut in pe
Claudianus and *Dioſcorus* were burned;
Serapion and *Papias* beheaded. In *Affric*
the holy Martyrs *Donatus*, *Iuſtus*, *Herena*
their fellowes. At *Rome* the birth-day
Felix Pope, the fourth of that Name, g
Grand-father to S. *Gregory* the *Great*,
wryteth of him, that he appearing t
Tharſilla his Neere, called her to the Ki
dome of heauen. At *Conſtantinople* of S.
raſius Biſhop, a man of great learning
holynes, to whome is extant an Ep
written by Pope *Adrian* the firſt, for
defence of holy Images. At *Nazianzum*

Cæsarius brother to S. *Gregory* furnamed the *Deuine*, who recordeth to haue seene him glorious amongst the troopes of Saintes.

A *The six and twentith Day.* (*or* 27.

AT *Pergen* in *Pamphylia* the birth-day of S. *Nestor* Bishop, who in the persecution of *Decius*, praying night and day for preseruation of the flocke of Christ, being apprehended, and prompely confessing the Name of our Lord, was by commaundmēt of *Pollio* President, most cruelly racked on the torture *Equuleus*; and still constantly affirming that he wold neuer forsake Christ, crucified on a Crosse, went victoriously to heauen. There also the passion of the Saints *Papias*, *Diodorus*, *Conon*, and *Claudianus*, who were all martyred before S. *Nestor*. Moreouer of the holy Martyrs, *Fortunatus*, *Felix*, & seauen and twenty others. At *Alexandria* of *S. Alexander* Bishop, a renowned old man, who after *S. Peter* Bishop of that Citty, did cast out of his Church *Arius* the Priest, infected, and conuinced of heresy, and afterward, togeather with three hundred and eighteene Fathers, condemned him in the *Nicene* Councell. At *Bolonia* of S. *Faustinianus* Bishop, who by his preaching did great-

ly ſtrengthen and increaſe th
which had beene ſore afflicted,
ned by the perſecution of *Diocleti*
in *Paleſtine* of S. *Porphyrius* Biſho
the dayes of *Arcadius* the Empe
threw the Temple, and Idoll
after the ſuffering of many agoni
reſt in our Lord. At *Florence* of
Biſhop and Confeſſour. In the
Archi of S. *Victor* Confeſſour, wh
are written by S. *Bernard*.

B *The ſeauen and twentith D*

AT *Rome* the birth-day of the
tyrs *Alexander*, *Abundius*, *Ant*
Fortunatus. At *Alexandria* the paſſi
lian Martyr, who being ſo torme
the Goute, that he could neyth
ſtand, was with two of his ſer
caryed him in a Chayre, preſen
the Iudge, wherof the one d
fayth, the other called *Eunus*, toge
his mayſter, perſeuering in the
of Chriſt, were both ſet vpon C
commaunded to be whipped ro
the Citty, and finally in preſenc
people were burned. There alſo
a ſouldier, who for rebuking th

ſolently abuſed the foreſayd Martyrs, was brought before the Iudge, and there conſtantly profeſſing his fayth, was preſently beheaded. At (a) *Sevill* in *Spayne* the birth-day of S. *Leander* Biſhop of that Citty, who by his preaching and induſtry, and by help of their owne King *Recardus*, conuerted the *Weſt-Gothes* from the *Arian* Hereſy, to the Catholique fayth. At *Conſtantinople* of the Holy Confeſſours *Baſill*, and *Procopius*, who in the tyme of *Leo* the Emperour, did valiantly behaue themſelues, for vphoulding the worſhip of holy Images. At *Lyons* of S. *Baldomerus*, a man of God, whoſe Sepulcher is renowned for often miracles.

C *The eight and twentith Day. (or 29.*

AT *Rome* the birth-day of S. *Macarius*, *Ruſinus*, *Iuſtus*, and *Theophilus* Martyrs. At *Alexandria* the paſſion of the Saints *Carealis*, *Papulus*, *Caius* and *Serapion*. There alſo the Commemoration of many holy Prieſts, Deacons, and others, who in the dayes of *Valerian* the Emperour, in the tyme of a great Plague, willingly gaue their liues, by ſeruing ſuch as were infected; whome the faythfull deuout people were

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a Locis Iurensibus.

accustomed to honour as Ma
territory of *Lyons*, in the (a) Mo
S. *Claude*, the deposition of S. E
bot, who there first lead a s
and famous for Sanctity and M
came afterward the Father of
kes. At *Pavia* the translation of
S. *Augustine* Bishop, out of
Sardinia, by the help of *Luitpran*
the *Lombards*.

THE MONETH OF MARCH.

D *The first Day.*

AT *Rome* of two hundred & threescore holy Martyrs, who for confessing the Name of Christ, were by cōmandmēt of *Claudius* the Emperour, condemned first to digge sand without the gate called *Salaria*, and afterwards to be shot with arrowes by the souldiers in the Amphitheater. There also the birth-day of the holy Martyrs *Leo*, *Donatus*, *Abundantius*, *Nicephorus*, and nine others. a
At (a) *Marseille* of the holy Martyrs *Hermes* Lu
& *Adrian*. At *Heliopolis* of *S.* Eudocia Martyr, who instructed in the Christian Fayth, &

baptized by *Theodotus* Biſhop, was in perſecution of *Traian*, by commaundm of *Vincentius* Preſident, crowned with t tyrdome by the ſword. The ſame da *S. Antonina* Martyr, who in the perſecu of *Dioclelian* for deriding the Gods of Paynims, after diuers torments, being vp in a veſſell, was drowned in a Lak the Citty of *Cea*. At *Werdt* of *S. Swith* Biſhop, who in the tyme of Pope *Sergius* p ched the goſpell in *Friſeland*, *Holland*, an other parts of *Germany*. At (b) *Angiers* *Albinus* Biſhop, and Confeſſour, a mar nowned for Vertue and Holynes. A *Mans* of *S. Siuiardus* Abbot. At *Perugia* tranſlation of *S. Herculanus* Biſhop Martyr.

b Andepanum.

i Cenomani.

E *The ſecond Day.*

AT *Rome* in the way called *Lati* the holy Martyrs *Iouinus* and *Ba* who ſuffered vnder *Valerianus* and *Ga* Emperours. Alſo at *Rome* of many Martyrs, who vnder *Alexander* Empe and *Vlpianus* Iudge hauing bene long & ten tormented, at laſt receaued ſentenc death. At (a) *Porto* of the holy Martyrs *Heraclius*, *Secundilla*, and Ianuaria. A

a Portus Romæ.

ſarea in *Cappadocia* of the holy Martyrs *Lucius* Biſhop, *Abſolon*, and *Largius*. In *Campania* the Commemoration of foureſcore holy Martyrs, who for that they would neyther eate fleſh that had beene offered vp to Idolls, nor adore the head of a Goate, were by the *Lõbards* moſt cruelly killed. At *Rome* of S. *Simplicius* Pope and Confeſſour. In *England* of *S. Ceadda* Biſhop of the *Mercians* and (b) *Northumbers*, whoſe renowned vertues are recorded by S. *Bede*.

(b) Lin. ſtarni.

F *The third Day.*

AT *Ceſarea* in *Paleſtine*, of the holy Martyrs *Marinus* a Souldier, & *Aſterius* a Senator, the former of whome in the Perſecution of *Valerian* being accuſed for a Chriſtian, and examined by the Iudge, with a loude voyce confeſſing the ſame, with loſſe of his head purchaſed a Crowne of Martyrdome. Whoſe body when *Aſterius*, wrapping it in his owne garment, tooke vpon his ſhoulders to carry away, was for that fact preſently put to death, and ſo receaued himſelfe the ſame honour, which he had ſhewed to the Martyr. In *Spayne* the birth-day of the holy Martyrs *Hemiterius* & *Chriſtomius*, who being Souldiers in the

a Legio. Campe at (a) *Leon* in *Galicia*, a
of persecution there arysing, afte
torments endured for the confess
b Calagurris. Christ, were brought to (b) *Calahorra*,
crowned with Martyrdome. The fa
the passion of the Saints *Felix*, *Luciol*
tunatus, *Marcias*, & their fellowes. M
of the holy souldiers, *Cleonicus*, *Eutr*
Basiliscus, who in the persecutiō of *M*
nus vnder *Asclepiades* President, happi
phed by the death of the Crosse.
c Brixia. *Brescia* of *S. Titianus* Bishop & Con
At *Bamberge* of S. *Chunegundes* En
wife to the *Henry* the first, Emperou
by his consent preseruing her Virgi
enriched with the merits of good
ended her blessed dayes, & after he
was renowned for miracles.

G. *The fourth Day.*

AT *Rome* in the way called *Ap*
birth-day of *S. Lucius* Pope an
tyr; who being sent into banishm
the sayth of Christ in the persecutio
lerianus, and afterward by Gods pe
suffered to returne againe to his C
when he had greatly laboured aga
Nouatian Heretickes, by losse of his

compliſhed his Martyrdome, whoome *S. Cyprian* hath highly commended. At *Rome* alſo in the ſame place, of Nyne hundred holy Martyrs, who lye buryed in the Church-yard at *S. Coſtyn*. The ſame day of *S. Caius* a Courtier, and twenty ſeamen others drowned in the ſea. At *Nicomedia* of S. *Adrian* Martyr, togeather with three and twenty others, who vnder *Dioclitian* Emperour hauing their thighes bruiſed, accompliſhed theyr Martyrdome; but *S. Adrians* feaſt is kept vpon the tenth of *September*, when his body was tranſlated to *Rome*. Moreouer, the paſſion of the Saints *Arthelais*, *Cyrillus*, and *Photius*. At *Cherſonaſus* the paſſion of the holy Biſhops *Baſſius*, *Eugenius*, *Agathodorus*, *Elpidius*, *Eutherius*, *Capito*, *Ephraem*, *Neſtor* and *Arcadius*. At *Vilna* in *Lituania* of Bleſſed *Caſimirus*, ſonne to King *Caſimirus*, who was canonized for a Saint by Pope *Leo* the tenth.

The fifth Day.

AT *Antioch* the birth-day of *S. Phocas* Martyr, who after many iniuryes ſuffered for the name of Chriſt, how gloriouſly he trytumphed ouer the old Serpēt, is euē vntill this day declared to the world

by a miracle; which is, that if any one bitten of a serpent, as soone as with a me fayth he toucheth the gate of this M tyrs Church, is presently cured. At Cas in *Palestine* of S. *Adrian* Martyr, who in persecution of *Diocletian*, for the confessi of his fayth, by commaundment of *Firmi nus* President, being first cast vnto a Ly and afterwards slayne by the sword, rec ued a Crowne of Martyrdome. The sa day the passion of the Saints *Eusebi* Courtier, with nyne other Martyrs. At *sarea* in *Palestine* of S. *Theophilus* Bishop, w vnder *Seuerus Emperour*, was greatly reno ned for wisdome, and holynes of lyfe. M reouer in *Palestine* vpon the riuer bank *Iordan*, of S. *Gerasimus* Anchoret, who fl rished in the tyme of *Zeno* the Emperour

B. *The sixth Day.*

AT *Nicomedia* the birth-day of the h Martyrs *Victor* and *Victorinus*, who geather with *Claudianus* and *Bassa* his w hauing endured many torments for th whole yeares, at last cast into pryson, th ended their liues. At (a) *Tortona* of S. *M cianus* Bishop & Martyr, who vnder *Tr the Emperour*, suffering for the conf-

(a) Ferdo-

f Chriſt, obteyned a crowne of Martyr-
ome. At *Conſtaminople* of *S. Euagrius*, who
hoſe Biſhop by the Catholike party in the
ayes of *Valens* the Emperour, was by him
ent into baniſhment, where he ended his
ayes. In *Cyprus* of *S. Conon* Martyr, who vn-
er *Decius* the Emperour hauing his feete
ierced with nayles, & commaũded to rũne
efore a Chariot, falling vpon his knees in
rayer, gaue vp the ghoſt. Moreouer the
aſſion of fourty and two holy Souldiers
artyrs, who apprehended in *Ammorium*, &
rought into *Syria*, after a glorious combat,
Conquerers receaued the triumphant
alme of Martyrdome. At *Bolonia* of S. *Baſ-*
us, Biſhop, who conſecrated by S. *Syluester*
ope, did both by word and example in
oſt godly manner, gouerne the Church
ommitted to his charge.

C. *The ſeauenth Day.*

N the monaſtery called *Foſſa-Noua* neere
vnto *Terracina* of S. *Thomas* of *Aquin* Cõ-
ſſour and Doctour, of the Order of S. *Do-*
minicke, renowned for holynes of life, and
ofound knowledg in diuinity. At *Tabur-*
m in *Mauritania* the birth-day of the holy
artyrs Perpetua and *Felicitas*, the laſt of

whome (as S. *Auguſtine* recordeth,) be
great with child, and her execution, acc
ding to the lawes, differred vntill ſhe
deliuered, whilſt ſhe was yet in trauell,
in payne therof, was greatly comforted
being caſt vnto the wylde beaſts to be
noured. There ſuffered alſo with them
uocatus, *Saturninus*, and *Secundolus*, of wh
the laſt dyed in pryſon, but the reſt, vn
Seuerus the Emperour, were alſo caſt
to the beaſts. At *Cæſarea* in *Paleſtine* the
ſion of S. *Eubulus*, fellow and compan
vnto S. *Adrian*, who two dayes after h
being firſt torne by the Lyons, and t
ſlayne by the ſword, was the laſt that re
ued the Crowne of Martyrdome in
Citty. At *Nicomedia* of S. *Theophilus* Bith
who ſent into baniſhment for the w
ſhipping of holy Images, there ended
life. At *Peluſium* in *Ægypt* of S. *Paul* Bith
who for the ſame cauſe dyed alſo in b
nithment. At (a) *Breſcia* of S. *Gaudioſus*
ſhop and Confeſſour. In *Thebais* of S. P
ſurnamed the *Simple*.

a Brixia.

D. *The eyght Day.*

AT (a) *Anthios* a Citty in *Ægypt*,
birthday of the holy Martyrs. Pl

a Anti-um.

mon and *Apollonius* Deacon, who apprehended, and brought before the Iudge, for constant refusing to sacrifice vnto Idols, hauing their heeles boared through, & most cruelly dragged through the Citty, at last beheaded, accomplished theyr Martyrdome. There also of the Saintes, *Arianus* President, *Theoticus*, & three others, whome the Iudge commaunded to be drowned in the sea, but their bodyes were brought to the shore by Dolphins. At *Nicomedia* of S. *Quintilis* Bishop and Martyr. At *Carthage* of S. *Tuncius*, Deacon to S. *Cyprian*, who enduring banishment with him, euen to his dying day, left written a notable worke of his life, and sufferings; and so continually glorifying God in all his labours, deserued at last the Crowne of eternall Lyfe. Moreouer in *Affrica* of the Saints *Cyrillus* Bishop, *Rogatus*, *Felix*, and another *Rogatus*; also of *Beatus*, *Herenia*, *Felicitas*, *Vrbanus*, *Siluanus* and *Mamillus*. At *Toledo* in *Spayne* the deposition of S. *Iulian* Bishop & Confessour, renowned for holynes, and learning. In *England* of S. *Felix* Bishop, who conuerted the *East-Angles* to the fayth of Christ.

E *The nynth Day.*

AT *Sebaſte* in *Armenia*, the birth-da
fourty ſouldiers of *Cappadocia*, wh
the tyme of *Licinius* the Emperour, vn
Agricolaus Preſident, after they had endu
a moſt loathſome and ſtinking priſon
theyr faces all bruiſed with ſtones, be
ſtripped naked, were in the coldeſt ſea
of winter, left all night in the open a
where their bodyes, being frozen, fel
peeces; laſtly hauing their thighes brok
accompliſhed their Martyrdome. The
bleſt amongſt them were *Cirion* and *Ca*
dus; of all whoſe renowned praiſes S. *B*
and other Fathers haue made honour
mention in their wrytings. At *Nyſſa* the
poſition of S. *Gregory* Biſhop, brother to
Baſill the Great, greatly renowned for
life and learning, who for defending
Catholique fayth, vnder *Valens* the *A*
Emperour, was driuen out of the Citty.
Barcelona in *Spayne* of S. *Patianus* Biſh
who famous for life, & grace in preachi
dyed full of venerable old dayes, in
tyme *Theodoſius* the Emperour. In *Mora*
of the holy Saints *Cyrillus* and *Methodius*
ſhops, who cõuerted to the fayth of Chr

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many Countreyes, togeather with their Kinges, in thoſe parts. At *Rome* of S. *Franciſca* Widdow, renowned for her noble extraction, Holynes of life, and grace of miracles. At *Bolonia* of S. *Catherine* Virgin, of the Order of S. *Clare*, famous for ſanctimony of life, whoſe body is there honoured with great Veneration.

F *The tenth Day.*

AT *Apamea* in *Phrygia* the birth-day of the holy Martyrs *Caius* and *Alexander*, who in the perſecution of *Marcus Antoninus*, and *Lucius Verus*, endured a glorious Martyrdome, as writeth *Apollinaris* Biſhop of *Hierapolis* in his booke againſt the *Cataphryges* Heretickes. In *Perſia* the paſſion of two & fourty holy Martyrs. At *Corinth* of the holy Martyrs *Codratus*, *Dionyſius*, *Cyprianus*, *Anellus*, *Paulus* and *Creſcens*, who in the perſecution of *Decius* & *Valerian*, vnder *Iaſon* Preſident were beheaded. In *Affrica* of S. *Victor* Martyr, on whoſe feaſt S. *Auguſtin* made a Sermō to the people. At *Hieruſalē* of S. *Macarius* Biſhop and Confeſſour, by whoſe perſuaſion the Holy Places there, were purged by *Conſtantine* and *Helena*, and adorned with ſacred, and goodly Churches. At Paris the depo

deposition of S. *Drotoueus* Abl
to S. *German* Bishop. In the
Duxouium of S. *Attalas* abbot, r
miracles.

G *The eleauenth*

AT *Carthage* of the holy M
clius, and *Zozimus*. At *A*
passion of the Saints *Candidus*,
twenty others. At *Laodicea* i
holy Martyrs *Trophimus*, and Th
the persecution of *Diocletian*,
cruell torments, obtayned a
glory. At *Antioch* the Comme
many holy Martyrs, wherof so
maundment of *Maximinus* the
were broyled vpon hoate gri
a long tyme tormented befor
others, by most cruell, and se
ments, receaued the triumpha
Martyrdome. Also, of the Sai
and *Firmus*. At (a) *Cordoua* c
Priest, who in the persecution
cens, deserued to be made one o
of that Citty, whose glorious
the fayth of Christ, he had
great zeale. At *Sardis* of S. B
shop, who for worshipping o

a Corduba.

ges, against *Leo Armenus* the (b) *Iconoclast*, by whome being bannished, and enduring a long Martyrdome for foureteene yeares, went vnto our Lord. At *Camerino* of S. *Ansouinus* Bishop and Confessour. In *Thebais* the deposition of S. *Euphrasia* Virgin.

b In ge-b ker.

C *The fourteenth Day.*

AT *Rome* the birth-day of seauen and fourty holy Martyrs, who baptized by S. *Peter* the Apostle, whilst togeather with S. *Paul*, he was for nyne monethes kept prisoner in the place called *Namertine*, were all for the confession of the Christian fayth martyred in the persecution of *Nero*. In *Africa* of the holy Martyrs *Peter* and *Aphrodisius*, who in the persecution of the *Wandalls* receaued the Crowne of Martyrdome. At (a) *Carrha* in *Mesopotamia* of S. *Eutychius*, a Senatour, and his fellowes, who by *Euelid* King of *Arabia*, were killed for the confession of their fayth. In the Prouince of *Valeria* of two holy Monkes, whome the *Lombards* hanged vp vpon a tree, and there, though dead, were heard to sing, euen of their enemyes. In the same Persecution, also a Deacon of the Church of (b) *Marsico* was beheaded, for confession of his fayth. An

a No calle Osra

b In car

Hal-

Halberstat in *Germany* the departure of *S.* *thildes* Queene, mother to *Oebo* the Em rour, first of that name, renowned for mility, and Patience.

D. *The sixteenth Day.*

AT *Cæsarea* in *Cappadocia* the passio *S. Longinus* a Souldier, who is sa be the same, that pierced our Sauiours with a speare. The same day of *S. Aristo* Disciple of the Apostles, who hauing e the course of his preaching, finished Martyrdome. At *Thessalonica* of *S. Mat* who being seruant to a certaine Ie Woman, and stealing euery day priu to the Church to pray, at length take her Mistresse, & many wayes afflicted finally with great cudgels beaten to d giuing vp her pure soule to God in the fession of her fayth. The same day of *S* *nignus* a Dyar, who was martyred v *Decius* In *Aegypt* of *S. Nicander* Martyr, as he was diligently seeking for the ques of holy Martyrs, deserued to be a Martyr himselfe, vnder *Diocletian* the peroor. At (a) *Cordoua* of *S. Leocritia* V *and* Martyr. At *Rome* the birth-day of *Marius* Pope, who with great Virg

rned the Church of God, and enriched
merits reſted in peace. At (b) *Riete* of *S.*
s Biſhop, at whoſe death *Iuuenall* and b
erius Martyrs, were preſent. At *Rome*
ſpecioſus Monke, whoſe ſoule his bro-
iw carryed vp to heauen.

E *The ſixteenth Day.*

T *Rome* the paſſion of *S. Cyriacus*
Deacon, who enduring a long and
ome impryſonment, ſcalded with
burning pitch, hauing all his iointes
uſly ſtretched vpon the Racke, and
with clubbes, was at laſt, togeather
argus and *Smaragdus*, and twenty o-
by commaundment of *Maximianus*
led. But their chiefe feſtiuity is kept
he eyght of Auguſt, on which day
odies were taken vp by Pope *Mar-*
nd honorably entombed. At *Aquileia*
th-day of *S. Hilarius* Biſhop, & *Ta-*
Deacon, who vnder *Numerianus* Em-
, and *Beronius* Preſident, hauing byn
racked and tormented, togeather
elix, *Largus*, & *Dionyſius* finiſhed their
dome. In *Licaonia* of S. *Papas* Martyr,
or the fayth of Chriſt being whip-
me with iron hookes, and forced to

go in shooes stucke full of sparpe nayl[illegible] was lastly tyed to a tree, and so ended [illegible] Martyrdome; wherby that tree, which [illegible] fore was barren, became fruitefull. [illegible]

Ana-rbum. *Axara* in *Cilicia* of S. *Iulian* Martyr, [illegible] long tyme tormented by *Marcianus* [illegible] President, was at last sowed vp in a [illegible] with Serpents, & cast into the sea. At [illegible] *uenna* of S. *Agapitus* Bishop and Confess[illegible] At *Cullen* of S. *Heribert* Bishop, renow[illegible]

Aruer-um. for sanctity. At (b) *Auuergne* the depos[illegible] of S. *Patricius* Bishop. In *Syria* of S. [illegible] Hermit, whose famous actes are wri[illegible] by *S. Ephrem* Deacon.

F *The seauenteenth Day.*

AT *Hierusalem* of S. *Ioseph* of *Ari*[illegible] a Senatour of Noble Extraction [illegible] Disciple of our Lord, who taking do[illegible] his body from the Crosse, buryed it [illegible] new sepulcher of his owne. At *Rome* of [illegible] Saints *Alexander* and *Theodorus* Martyrs. [illegible] *Alexandria* the Commemoration of [illegible] holy Martyrs, who for constant refusing [illegible] worship the Idoll *Serapis*, were cruelly p[illegible] to death in the dayes of *Theodosius* the Emp[illegible] *rour*; who being aduertised thereof, g[illegible] commaundement, that the Temple of [illegible]

ld be destroyed. At *Constantinople* Martyr, who vnder *Constantinus* for defence of holy Images, was *Iselād* the birth-day of S. *Patricke* d Confessour, who was the first hed Christ there, famous for his ll sanctity and miracles. At (a) n *France* of S. *Agricola* Bishop. At in *Brabant* of S. *Gertrude* Virgin, nded of noble parentage, despi- orld, and spending all her lyfe cise of pious workes, deserued at by her heauenly Spouse.

a Cabillio.

b Niuigella.

The eighteenth Day.

sarea in *Palestine* the birth-day of *xāder* who cōming out of *Cappa-* e he was Bishop, to visit the holy *Hierusalem* (*Narcissus* Bishop of that g a very old man) tooke vpon ine Reuelation the charge of that nd afterward in the persecution being sent to *Cæsarea*, & there prison for the cōfession of Christ, uerēced for his venerable yeares, hed his Martyrdome. At (a) *Aus-* *Narcissus* Bishop, who first pre- Ghospell in Rhatia, went after-

a Augusta Rhatorum.

wards into *Spayne*, and conuerted many to the Fayth of Chriſt at *Girona*, where in the perſecution of *Aurelian*, togeather with *Felix* Deacon, he receaued the triumphant palme of Martyrdome. At *Nicomedia* of ten thouſand holy Martyrs, who for the confeſſion of Chriſt were put to death by the ſword. Alſo of the holy Martyrs *Trophimus* and *Eucarpius*. In England of *S. Edward* King, who killed by the treachery of his Stepmother, was renowned for many miracles. At *Hieruſalem* of S. *Cyril* Biſhop, who hauing endured many iniuryes by the *Arrians*, for the Catholique fayth, and oftentimes driuen out of his Church, famous for Sanctity of lyfe dyed in peace: of whoſe vnſpotted fayth a Generall Councell wryting to Pope *Damaſus*, giueth an honourable teſtimony. At *Luca* in *Tuſcia* the birthday of S. *Frigidianus* Biſhop, renowned for miracles, whoſe feſtiuity is kept vpon the eighteenth of *Nouember*, when his body was tranſlated. At *Mantua* of S. *Anſelme* Biſhop and Confeſſour.

Gerund.

A *The nineteenth Day.*

IN Iury the birth-day of S. *Ioſeph* Spouſe of the Bleſſed Virgin Mary. At (b)

b Surius.

e of the holy Martyrs *Quintus, Quintilla, rtilla,* and *Marcus,* with nyne others. At *emedia* of S. *Pancharius* a Roman, who ler *Diocletian* being beheaded, receaued Crowne of Martyrdome. The ſame of the Saints *Apollonius,* and *Leontius* Bi- ps. At *Gaunt* of the Saints *Landoaldus* eſt, a Roman, and *Amantius* Deacon, who t to preach the Goſpell by *S. Martin* Po- , became renowned for miracles after ir death. At the Citty of (a) *Pinna* the h-day of *S. Iohn* a man of great holynes, o comming out of *Syria* into *Italy*, ere- ng there a Monaſtery, became Father of ny ſeruants of God; and when he had ierned the ſame foure and fourty yeares, owned for holynes, reſted in peace.

(a) Citta di Penna.

B *The twentith Day.*

N *Iury* of S. *Ioachim* Father to the bleſ- ed Virgin *Mary*, the Mother of God. In the birth-day of S. *Archippus* Compa- n of S. *Paul* the Apoſtle, of whome he keth mention in his Epiſtle to *Philemon*, l to the *Coloſsians*. In *Syria* of the holy rtyrs *Paulus, Cyrillus, Eugenius,* and foure ers. The ſame day of the Saints *Photina* a maritan, *Ioſeph* and *Victor* her ſonnes, and

of *Sebastian* a Captaine, *Anatolius*, *Phot*
tides, also *Parasceues* and *Cyriaca* syste
all suffered Martyrdome for the cõfe
Christ. At *Amisus* in *Paphlagonia* of
holy Women, *Alexandra*, *Claudia*, *E*
Matrona, *Iuliana*, *Euphemia*, & *Theodo*
were slayne for the confessiõ of the
after whome *Derphuta*, and her sys
lowed. At *Apollonia* of S. *Nicetas*
who sent into banishment for w
ping of holy Images, gaue vp his
rest. In the *Monastery* of *Fontanelle* of
fran Bishop of (*) *Sens*, who resign
Bishopricke, renowned for miracl
ended his dayes in rest. In *England*
position of S. *Cuthbert* Bishop of *Lin*
who euen from his childehood to
ing day, was renowned for his ho
kes and miracles. At *Siena* in *Tuscia*
sed *Ambrose* of the Order of S. *Domi*
mous for sanctity of life, preaching,
cles.

(*) Seno-
nes.

C *The one and twentith D*

AT *Monte-Cassino* the birth-d
Benet Abbot, who restored th
sticall discipline in the West, alm
cayed, and wonderfully propaga
same. Whose life renowned for fa

acles S. *Gregory* Pope hath written. At
andria the Commemoration of many
y Martyrs, who vnder *Constantius* the
erour, and *Philagrius* Gouernour, were
ie in the Church vpon Good-fryday,
ie *Arians* and *Gentils*, breaking in vpon
n. The same day of the holy Martyrs
mon & *Dominus*. At *Catania* of S. *Biril-*
rho created Bishop by S. *Peter*, hauing
erted many Gentils to the fayth of
st, in a good old age, rested in our
l. At *Alexandria* of Blessed *Serapion* An-
st, and Bishop of *Themuis*, a man of
Vertue; who banished by the fury of
rrians, went vnto our Lord. In the
itory of *Lyons* of S. *Lupicinus* Abbot,
se life was renowned for sanctity, &
cles.

a Cat
na.

D *The two and twentith Day.*

T *Narbone* in *France* the birth-day of
S. *Paul* Bishop and Confessour, Disci-
the Apostles, who is held by tradi-
to haue beene *Sergius Paulus* the Pro-
ll, whome S. *Paul* the Apostle ba-
d, & left at *Narbone*, when he went in-
ania; where being made Bishop and
illy performing the office of preа-

a Nat
na.

ching, famous for miracles, went vnto
Lord. At *Terracina* of S. *Epaphroditus* Disc
of the Apostles, who was ordayned Bis
of that Citty by S. *Peter* the Apostle. In
frica of the holy Martyrs *Saturninus*, a
nyne others. The same day of the h
Martyrs *Callinica* and *Basilisa*. At *Ancyr*
S. *Basill* Priest and Martyr, who endu
many torments vnder *Iulian* the Apost
gaue vp his soule to God. At *Carthage* of
Octauianus Archdeacō, & of many thous
Martyrs, who were killed by the *Wan*
for the Catholique fayth. There also o
Deo-gratias Bishop of *Carthage*, who red
med many of that Citty, made Capti
by the *Wandalls*, and famous for other pi
workes, went to rest in our Lord. At
Osmo in(c) *Marc-Ancona* of S. *Benuenutus* B
shop. In *Suetia* of S. *Catharin* Virgin, daug
ter to S. *Brigit*. At *Rome* of S. *Lea* Widdo
whose vertues, and death S. *Hierome* re
teth.

(c) Auxi-
num.
Picenō.

E *The three and twentith Day.*

IN *Affrica* of the holy Martyrs *Victoria*
Proconsull of *Carthage*, and of two b
thren of *Aqua-zegia*; also of *Frumentius*, a
of another *Frumentius*, both merchāts, w

he perſecution of the *Wandalls*, (as wry-
h *Victor Africanus* Biſhop) vnder *Hunneri-*
the *Arian* King, being moſt cruelly tor-
nted for their conſtancy in the Catholi-
faith, were famouſly crowned. More o-
in *Affrica* of S. *Fidelis* Martyr. There alſo
. *Felix* and twenty others. At *Caſarea* in
ſtine of the holy Martyrs *Nicon*, & nine-
nyne others. Moreouer the crowning
the holy Martyrs *Domitius*, *Pelagia*, *Aquila*,
rchius, and *Theodoſia*. At *Antioch* of S. *Theo-*
is Prieſt. At *Caſarea* of S. *Iulian* Confeſ-
r. In *Campania* of S. *Benet* Monke, who
ng ſhut vp within a burning fornace by
Goths, the next day was found with-
any hurt.

F *The foure and twentith Day.*

AT *Rome* of the holy Martyrs *Marke*, &
Timothy, who vnder *Antoninus* the Em-
our, were crowned with Martyrdome.
ere alſo of S. *Epigmenius* Prieſt, who in
perſecution of *Diocletian*, vnder *Turpius*
Iudge, being beheaded accompliſhed
Martyrdome. Moreouer at *Rome* the paſ-
of bleſſed *Pigmenius* Prieſt, who vnder
an the *Apoſtata*, for the fayth of Chriſt
caſt headlong into the riuer of Tybur;

and

and drowned. At *Cæsarea* in
birth-day of the holy Martyrs *T*
nis, *Pausides Romulus*, *Agapius*, *Alex*
another *Alexander*, and another
in the persecution of *Diocletian*,
nus President being beheaded, c
Crowne of eternall life. In *M*
birth-day of two brethren *Romu*
cundus, who there suffered for
ride- Christ. At (a) *Trent* the passion
a Chylde, most cruelly murde
Iewes, and afterward renow
ny miracles. At *Sinnadis* in *Ph*
Agapitus Bishop. At *Brescia* of S.
shop. In *Syria* of S. *Seleucus* Co

G *The fiue and twentith*

THE Annunciation of the
gin *Mary* Mother of God.
S. *Quirinus* Martyr, who vnder
Emperour, after the losse of his g
loathsome impryſonement, a
ment of many ſtrypes, was beh
caſt into the Riuer of *Tybur*: v
Christians ſynding in the Iland
buryed in the Church-yard o
There alſo of two hundred, thr
two holy Martyrs. At *Sirmium*

of S. *Ireneus* Biſhop and Martyr, who in the tyme of *Maximianus* Emperour, vnder *Probus* Preſident, after moſt bitter tormentes, and affliction of many dayes impriſonement, was at laſt beheaded. At *Nicomedia* of S. *Dula* mayd-ſeruãt to a certayne Souldier, who ſlayne for defence of her Chaſtity, deſerued the crowne of Martyrdome. At *Hieruſalem* the Commemoration of the *Holy Thiefe*, who confeſſing Chriſt vpon the Croſſe, deſerued to heare theſe wordes; *This day thou ſhalt be with me in Paradiſe.* At *Laodicea* of S. *Pelegius* Biſhop, who in the tyme of *Valens* ſuffering baniſhment, and other afflictions for the Catholique fayth, went to reſt in our Lord. At *Piſtoria* of the holy Confeſſors *Barontius*, and *Deſiderius*. In *Antri* a little Iland vpon the riuer of (a) *Loyre*, of S. *Hermelandus* Abbot, whoſe holy conuerſation of life is greatly commended by the fame of miracles.

A. *The ſixe and twentith Day.*

AT *Rome* in the way called *Lauicana*, of S. *Caſtulus* Martyr, Maiſter (a) of the with-drawing roomes in *Dioclatians* Pallace, and a harbourer of Saints; who being thryce hanged vp by the hands, and thrice

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and drowned. At *Cæsarea* in *Palestine* the birth-day of the holy Martyrs *Timolaus, Dennis, Pausides Romulus, Agapius, Alexander*, and of another *Alexander*, and another *Dennis*, who in the persecution of *Diocletian*, vnder *Vrbanus* President being beheaded, deserued the Crowne of eternall life. In *Mauritania* the birth-day of two brethren *Romulus*, and *Secundus*, who there suffered for the fayth of Christ. At (a) *Trene* the passion of S. *Symeon* a Chylde, most cruelly murdered by the Iewes, and afterward renowned by many miracles. At *Sinnadis* in *Phrygia*, of S. *Agapitus* Bishop. At *Brescia* of S. *Latinus* Bishop. In *Syria* of S. *Seleucus* Confessour.

G *The fiue and twentith Day.*

THE Annunciation of the blessed Virgin *Mary* Mother of God. At *Rome* of *S. Quirinus* Martyr, who vnder *Claudius* the Emperour, after the losse of his goods, most loathsome impryſonement, and the torment of many strypes, was beheaded, and cast into the Riuer of *Tybur*: whome the Christians fynding in the Iland of *Lycaonia*, buryed in the Church-yard of *Pontianus*. There also of two hundred, threescore and two holy Martyrs. At Sirmium the passion

mus Bishop and Martyr, who in
e of *Maximianus* Emperour, vnder
President, after most bitter tormente,
liction of many dayes imprisone-
was at last beheaded. At *Nicomedia* of
mayd-seruãt to a certayne Souldier,
tyme for defence of her Chastity, de-
the crowne of Martyrdome. At *Hie-*
the Commemoration of the *Holy*
who confessing Christ vpon the
deserued to heare these wordes; *This*
shalt be with me in Paradise. At *Laodi-*
. *Pelagius* Bishop, who in the tyme
s suffering banishment, and other
ons for the Catholique fayth, went
n our Lord. At *Pisturis* of the holy
fors *Barentius*, and *Desiderius*. In *Antri*
Iland vpon the riuer of(a) *Loyre*, of a Li
elandus Abbot, whose holy conuer-
of life is greatly commended by the
miracles.

The six and twentith Day.

Rome in the way called *Lauinana*,
f S. *Castulus* Martyr, Maister(a) of the a Ze
rawing roomes in *Diocletians* Pal- tius
d a harbourer of Saints; who being
hanged vp by the hands, and thrise

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examined by the persecutours, perseuering in the fayth of our Lord, was throwne into a hole, & ouerwhelm'd with a great mass of sand cast vpon him, ended his Martyrdome. There also the crowning of the holy Martyrs *Peter*, *Marcian*, *Ioannes*, *Theodor*, *Cassian*, and others. At *Pentapolis* in *Lybia* the birth-day of the holy Martyrs *Theodorus* Bishop, *Irenaus* Deacon, *Serapion*, and *Ammonius* Lectors. At *Sirmium* of the holy Martyrs *Montanus* Priest, and *Maxima*; who for the fayth of Christ were drowned in a Riuer. Moreouer of the holy Martyrs *Quadratus*, *Theodosius*, *Emanuell*, and fourty others. At *Alexandria* of the holy Martyrs *Eutychius* and others, who in the tyme of *Constantius* vnder *George* the *Arrian* Bishop, for defence of the Catholique fayth, were beheaded. The same day of S. *Ludgerus* Bishop of (a) *Munster*, who preached the Ghospell of Christ to the *Saxons*. At (b) *Saragoza* in *Spayne* of S. *Braulius* Bishop and Confessour. At *Treuers* of S. *Felix* Bishop.

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B *The seauen and twentith Day.*

AT *Drizipara* in *Pannonia* of S. *Alexander* a Souldier, who vnder *Maximianus* Emperour, after he had ouercome m

ments for Christ, and wrought many
es, with losse of his head, accompli-
is Martyrdome. The same day of the
Philetus a Senatour, *Lydia* his wyfe,
acedo and *Theoprepides* theyr children:
Amphilochius a Captaine, and *Cronidas*
try, who were all killed for confes-
Christ. In *Persia* of the holy Martyrs
s, Lazarus, Merotas, Narses and fiue o-
, who vnder *Sapores* King of Perfia
y killed, deserued the palme of Mar-
me. At (a) *Saltzburg* of S. *Rupertus* Bi-
and Confessour, who wonderfully (a)
gated the Gospell in *Bauaria*, and (b) (b)
In *Aegypt* of S. *Iohn Hermit*, a man of
Holynes, who amongst other signes
vertues, was repleniſhed with the
of Prophecy, and foretold *Theodosius*
mperour of his victoryes against the
its *Maximus*, and *Eugenius*.

The eight and twentith Day.

IN *Cæsarea in Palestine* the birth-day
of the holy Martyrs *Priscus, Malcus*, and
der, who in the persecution of *Vale-*
welling in the suburbes of the Cit-
seing the Crownes of Martyrdome
offered to such, as had the courage to

accept

[illegible] inflamed with an hea
[illegible] of faith, went of their owne
to the Judge, and rebuked him for hi
shedding of innocent blood, who
caused presently to be cast vnto the b
for the name of Christ. At *Thersis* in
of the holy Martyrs *Castor* and *Do*
Also of the Saints *Philetus*, and his fell
who were martyred vnder *Adrian*
Emperour. In *Affrica* of the holy M
Rogatus, *Successus*, & sixteene others. A
of S. *Xystus* Pope, the third of that na
Confessour. At *Nursia* of S. *Spes* Abb
man of wonderfull patience, whose so
his departure out of this life, was se
all the Monks, to fly vp to heauen, in
of a Doue. At (a) *Cauaillon* in Fran
bil- deposition of Blessed *Guntramnus* Ki
the French, who giuing himself wh
the exercise of Piety, and contemnin
vanities of the world, distributed his
sure to Churches, and the poore.

D *The nyne and twentith Day*

IN *Persia* of the holy Martyrs *Ion*
Barachisius vnder *Sapores* King of *Per*
whome *Ionas* pressed in a Vice, vntil h
[illegible] were broken, was diuided in the

dest; the other hauing his mouth filled with burning pitch, was styfeled. At *Heliopolis* neere *Mount Libanus* of S. *Cyrill* Deacon and Martyr, whose liuer plucked out of his belly, the Gentils most brutishly deuoured, vnder *Iulian* the *Apostata*. At *Nicomedia* the passion of the holy Martyrs *Pastor*, *Victorinus*, and his followes. In *Affrica* of the holy Confessors *Armogastes* an Earle, *Musculus* a Maister of Interludes, and *Saturus* Steward of the Kings House, who in the persecution of the *Wandalls*, vnder *Geisericus* the *Arrian* King, hauing endured many grieuous torments and reproaches for the confession of the truth, finished the course of their Martyrdome. At(a) *Aste* in *Piemont* of S. *Secundus* Martyr. In the monastery of *Luxouium* the deposition of S. *Eustasius* Abbot, Disciple of *S. Columbane*, who being Father of almost six hundred Monkes, was famous for holynes of life, and miracles.

a. Ast Pomp.

E *The thirtith Day*.

AT *Rome* in the way *Appia*, the passion of *S. Quirinus* Tribune, who hauing Pope *Alexander* prisoner in his house, was by him, with all his family, baptized; and afterward vnder *Adrian* the Emperour, perseue-

ſeuering in the confeſſion of hi
uing his tongue plucked out, r
the torture *Equuleus*, and his ha
ent off, obtayned finally a
Martyrdome, by the loſſe of h
Theßalonica the birth-day of the
tyrs *Domninus*, *Victor*, and his fe
Conſtantinople the Commemora
ny holy Martyrs, who being
tholique Communion, were in
Conſtantius the Emperour, by *M*
Archheretike killed by diuers
torments: For amongſt other
Chriſtian womans breaſts betw
uers of cheſtes, ſo cut them off,
red them with a hoat iron. At (
depoſition of S. *Regulus* Biſhop
At (e) *Orleans* in *France* of S. *Paſt*
At *Syracuſa* of S. *Zozimus* Biſhop
feſſour. In *Mount Sina* of S. *Iohn*
Abbot. At (d) *Aquino* of S. *Clin*
ſour.

ſylua-
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F *The one and thirtith*

AT *Thecue* in *Paleſtine* of S.
phet, who being often be
ſtripes by *Amaſias* the Prieſt, wa
his ſonne Ozias thruſt through

an Iron barre, and ſo carryed halfe a-
nto his Countrey, there gaue vp the
t, & was buryed with his Anceſtours.
rica of the holy Martyrs *Theodulus, A-*
Felix, Cornelia, and their fellowes. In
of S. *Beniamin* Deacon, who for that
ould not ceaſe to preach the word of
was by King *Iſdegerdes* pricked vn-
ie nayles with ſharpe reedes, and ſi-
hauing a thorny ſtake thruſt through
dy accompliſhed his Martyrdome. At
of *S. Balbina* Virgin, daughter to *S.*
ius Martyr, who baptized by *S. Ale-*
the Pope, died in all ſanctimony of
nd lyeth buryed neere to her Father,
way called *Appia*.

THE MONETH OF APRIL.

G *The first Day.*

AT *Rome* the passion of *S. Theodora* sister to the famous Martyr *Hermes*, who suffering vnder *Hadrian* the Emperour, by *Aurelian* Iudge, lyeth buryed neere to her Brother, in the way called *Salaria*, not farre from the Citty. The same day of *S. Venantius* Bishop and Martyr. In *Aegypt* of the holy Martyrs *Victor*, and *Stephen*. In *Armenia* of the holy Martyrs *Quinctianus*, and *Irenæus*. At *Constantinople* of S. *Macarius* Confessour, who vnder *Leo* the Emperour for the

ince of holy Images, ended his life in ba-
iſhment. At (a) *Grainoble* of *S. Hugh* Biſhop
who liued many yeares a ſolitary life in
ie wilderneſſe, and renowned for mira-
les went vnto our Lord. At (b) *Amiens* of
. *Wallericus* Abbot, whoſe ſepulcher is ho-
ioured with often miracles.

a Gra nopol

b An bianu

A *The ſecond Day.*

OF S. *Francis de Paula*, the firſt founder of the Order of the Minims, who re-
ıowned for vertue and miracles, was cano-
ıized for a Saint by Pope *Leo* the tenth. At
Ceſarea in *Paleſtine* the birth-day of S. *Am-
bianus* Martyr, who in the perſecution
of *Maximinus* reproouing the Preſident *Vr-
anus* for ſacrificing vnto Idols, being moſt
ruelly torméted by hauing his feete wrap-
ed in flaxe and dipped in oyle ſet on fyre,
was at laſt drowned in the ſea, and ſo
hrough fyre and water paſſed to an euer-
aſting repoſe. There alſo the paſſion of S.
Theodoſia a Virgin of *Tyrus*, who in the ſame
perſecution, for openly ſaluting the holy
Confeſſors, as they ſtood at the Barre, and
rauing of them to be remembred, when
hey ſhould come before our Lord, ap-
prehended by the ſouldiers, & brought be-

fore *Vrbanus* the President, hauing her f
and breasts by his commandment torn
peeces, was finally cast into the sea. A
Lyons of S. *Nicetius* Bishop of the same C
renowned for Sanctity and miracles.
(b) *Como* of S. *Abundius* Bishop and Con
sour. At (c) *Langres* of S. *Vrbanus* Bishop
Palestine the deposition of *S. Mary* the
gyptian, surnamed the *Sinner*.

B *The third Day.*

AT (a) *Taormina* in *Sicily* of S. *Rancr*
Bishop, who with the bloud of I
tyrdome, sealed the Ghospell of Ch
which he had there preached, being
thither by *S. Peter* the *Apostle*. At *Tom*
Scythia the birth-day of the holy Ma
Euagrius and *Benignus*. At *Thessalonica* the
sion of the holy Virgins *Agapes* and *Chi*
vnder *Diocletian* the Emperour, who fo
confession of Christ, being first starue
pryson, and afterwards cast into the
but vntouched of the flame, in prayer
vp their soules to God. At *Tyrus* of S. *V*
Martyr, who in the persecution of *Max*
nus, being sowed vp in a sacke, toge
with a Serpent and a dogge, was drov
in the sea. In the Monastery of Medi

the Eaſt, of S. *Nicetas* Abbot, who for worſhipping of holy Images ſuffered much vnder *Leo Armenus*. In *England* of S. *Richard* Biſhop of *Chicheſter*, renowned for holynes & miracles. There alſo of S. *Burgundofora* Abbeſſe and Virgin.

C *The fourth Day.*

AT *Theſſalonica* of the holy Martyrs *Agathopolis* Deacon, & *Theodulus* Lector, who vnder *Maximianus* the Emperour and *Fauſtinus* Preſident, for the confeſſion of Chriſtian fayth, hauing a great ſtone tyed to theyr neckes, were drowned in the ſea. At *Millan* the depoſition of S. *Ambroſe* Biſhop and confeſſour, by whoſe endeauours, learning, and miracles, all *Italy* almoſt was conuerted to the Catholique Fayth, in the tyme of the *Arian* Hereſy. At (a) *Seuill* in *Spayne* of S. *Iſidore* Biſhop, famous for holynes of life & learning: who for his zeale of the Catholike fayth, and obſeruation of Eccleſiaſticall diſciplyne was a great ornament vnto *Spayne*. At *Cõſtantinople* of S. *Plato* Monke, who with inuincible courage oppoſed himſelf many yeares againſt Heretiques, breakers of holy Images. In *Paleſtine* of S. *Zoſimus* Anchoret, who buryed the

a Hiſt. lib.

body of S. *Mary* the Ægyptian.

D *The fifth Day.*

AT *Thessalonica* of S. *Irenes* Virgin, who for hiding holy Bookes, contrary to the Edict of *Diocletian* Emperour, after she had suffered hard imprisonment, being shot with an arrow, was burned by commandement of *Dulcetius* President, vnder whome also her sisters *Agapes*, and *Chionia* had byn martyred before. In the Ile of (a) *Lesbos* the passion of fiue holy Martyrs. The same day of S. *Zeno* Martyr, who hauing his skin plucked off, & annoynted ouer with pitch, was so cast into the fyre. In *Affrica* the passion of many holy Martyrs, who in the persecution of *Geisericus* the *Arian* King, were killed in the Church vpon Easter day; and whilst the Lector songe *Alleluia* at the deske, he was shot throgh the throate with an arrow. At (b) *Vannes* in litle *Brittany* of S. *Vincent* Confessour, surnamed *Ferrerius*, of the Order of S. *Dominicke*, who wonderfull both in worke and word, conuerted many thousands of Infidels to Christ.

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E *The ſixth Day.*

T *Rome* the birth-day of *S. Xiſtus* Pope
and Martyr, who in the dayes of *Adria-*
the Emperour gouerning the Church,
lingly ſuffered a temporall death, to
ne an eternall lyfe with Chriſt, vnder
ninus Pius. In *Macedonia* of the holy Mar-
Timothy and *Diogenes*. In *Perſia* of ſix
e holy Martyrs. At(a) *Scalona* the paſſion
. *Platonides*, and two other holy Mar-
. At *Carthage* of *S. Marcellinus* Martyr,
o for defending the Catholique fayth,
ſlayne by the Heretiques. At *Rome* of S.
ſine Pope, who condemned *Neſtorius*
iop of *Conſtantinople*, and chaſed away
ius, both Hereticks. By whoſe authori-
ſo the holy Generall Councell of *Ephe-*
was celebrated, againſt the ſayd *Neſto-*
In *Ireland* of S. *Celſus* Biſhop, Predeceſ-
to S. *Malachy*. In *Denmarke* of S. *William*
ior, renowned for ſanctity of life, and
icles.

(a) Aſca lon.

F *The ſeauenth Day.*

I *Affrica* the birth-day of the holy Mar-
rs Epiphanius Biſhop, Donatus, Ruſinus &c.

thirteene others. At *Synope* in *Ponius* of tv
hundred holy Martyrs. In *Cilicia* of S. C
Iopius Martyr, who vnder *Maximus* Gou
nour, after many other Torments, be
crucifyed with his head downeward, v
crowned with a Noble Martyrdome.
Nicomedia of *Saint Cyriacus*, and ten ot
Martyrs. At *Alexandria* of S. *Pelesius* Pr
and Martyr. At *Rome* of S. *Hegesippus*, w
liuing neere to the Apostles tyme, came
Rome to Pope *Anicetus*, and there remayn
vntill Pope *Eleutherius*, recording in a fi
ple style the history of the Church, frō
passion of Christ vnto his dayes, imitati
therein the simplicity of their liues, by
plaineneſſe of his stile. At *Verona* of S.
turninus Bishop and Confessour. In *Syri*
S. *Aphraates* Anchoret, who in the tyme
Valens, defended the Catholique fayth
gainst the *Arians*, by the power of Mirac

G *The eyght Day.*

AT *Alexandria* of S. *Ædesius* Martyr, b
ther to S. *Appianus*, who openly
prouing a wicked Iudge, for committ
consecrated Virgins to corrupters of C
stity, being apprehēded by the souldiers,
put to most cruell torments, was finally
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Christ our Lord, drowned in the sea. In *Affrica* of the holy Martyrs *Ianuarius*, *Maxima*, and *Macaria*. At *Carthage* of S. *Conceſſa* Martyr. The same day, the Commemoration of the Saints *Herodion*, *Aſyncritus*, and *Phlegon*, of whome S. *Paul* maketh mention in his Epiſtle to the *Romans* At *Corinth* of S. *Dennis* Biſhop, who by his learning, and grace in preaching, not only inſtructed the people of that Citty and Country, but by his letters, informed alſo the Biſhops of other Prouinces & Cittyes: & he ſo greatly honoured the Biſhops of *Rome*, that he was accuſtomed to read their letters publiquely vpon Sundayes in the Church. He liued in the dayes of *Marcus Antoninus*, *Verus*, and *Lucius Aurelius Commodus*. At (a) *Tours* of S. *Perpetuus* Biſhop, a man of wonderfull holynes. At (b) *Fiorentino* in *Campania* of *S. Redemptus* Biſhop, of whome S. *Gregory* Pope maketh mention. At *Como* of S. *Amantius* Biſhop and Confeſſour.

a Turones.
b Fiorentinum

A *The nynth Day.*

AT *Antioch* of S. *Prochorus*, who being one of the ſeauen firſt Deacons, renowned for fayth and miracles, receaued the *Crowne of* Martyrdome. At Rome the birth-

birth-day of the holy Martyrs *Demetr*
Concessus, *Hilarius*, and their fellowes. At
mum the passion of seauen holy Virgin
Martyrs, who with the pryce of t
bloud, bought vnto themselues life eue
sting. At *Cæsarea* in *Cappadocia* of S. *Eu*
chius Martyr, who for ouerthrowing
Temple of *Fortune*, vnder *Iulian* the *Ap*
ta accomplished his Martyrdome. In *A*
of the holy Martyrs of *Massilita*, vpon w
se birth-day S. *Augustine* made a Sermon
(a) *Amida* in *Mesopotamia*, of S. *Acatius*
shop, who to redeeme Captiues, melte
sould the holy vessels of his Church. A
Roan of S. *Hugh* Bishop and Confessour
the Citty of (c) *Die*, of S. *Marcellas* Bish
famous for miracles. In *Iury* of S. *Mary*
phas, syster of the most Blessed *Mary*
mother of God. At *Rome* the Translatio
the body of S. *Monica* mother to S. *Aug*
ne, which vnder Pope *Martin* the fifth,
brought from *Ostia* vnto the Citty; & t
most honorably placed in the Churc
the same S. *Augustine*.

B *The tenth Day.*

OF *Ezechiel* the Prophet, who by
Iudge of *Israel*, whome he rebuke

worſhipping of Idols, was ſlayne in *Babylon*, and buryed in the ſepulcher of *Sem* and *Arphaxad* the Progenitors of *Abrahã*, whereunto many were wont to reſort, there to make their prayers. At *Rome* the birthday of many holy Martyrs, baptized by S. *Alexander* the Pope whilſt he was in pryſon; who being all put into an old rotten ſhip, were by commaundement of *Aurelianus* Gouernour carryed into the deepe ſea, and there with ſtones tyed to their neckes to be drowned. At *Alexandria* of the holy Martyrs *Apollonius* Prieſt, and fiue others, who in the perſecution of *Maximinus* were drowned in the ſea. In *Affrica* of the holy Martyrs, *Terentius*, *Africanus*, *Pompeius*, and their fellowes, who vnder *Decius* the Emperour, and *Fortunianus* Gouernour being whipped, racked and diuerſly tormented, at laſt beheaded, accompliſhed their Martyrdome. The ſame day of S. *Macarius* Biſhop of *Antioch*, renowned for holynes and miracles,

C *The eleuenth Day.*

AT *Rome* of S. *Leo* Pope and Confeſſour, who for his renowned vertue & Merits is ſurnamed the *Great*. In his dayes was celebrated the holy Councell of Chalcedon,

cedon, wherein by his Legats, he condemned *Eutyches* the Hereticke, and confirmed the Decrees therof by his authority. And after he had writtē many learned bookes, & decreed many things for the good of the vniuerſall Church, and flocke of Chriſt, departed this life in peace. At *Pergamus* in *Aſia* of S. *Antipas*, a faythfull witneſſe of Chriſt, of whome *S. Iohn* maketh mention in his Apocalyps; who vnder *Domitian* the Emperour being ſhut vp in a hoat-burnished Oxe of braſſe, accompliſhed his Martyrdome. At *Salona* in *Dalmatia* of the holy Martyrs *Domnion*, & eight ſouldiers. At *Gortina* in (a) *Candia* of S. *Philip* Biſhop, renowned for life and learning, who in the dayes of *Marcus Antoninus Verus*, and *Lucius Aurelius Commodus* gouerning the Church committed to his charge, defended the ſame from the fury of the Gentils, and deceytfull practiſes of the Heretikes. At *Nicomedia* of S. *Euſtorgius* Prieſt. At *Spoleto* of S. *Iſaac* monke and Confeſſour, whoſe vertues are mentioned by S. *Gregory*. At *Gaza* in *Paleſtine* of S. *Barſanuphius* Anchoret, in the dayes of *Iuſtinian* the Emperour.

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D *The twelfth Day.*

AT *Verona* the passiõ of S. *Zeno* Bishop, who in the stormes of persecutiõ, gouerned that Church with great constancy, and in the dayes of *Galienus* was crowned with Martyrdome. In *Cappadocia* of S. *Sabas* a *Goth*, who vnder *Valens* the Emperour, by *Athanaricus* King of the *Gothes* hauing suffered many cruell torments, was cast into a riuer. At which tyme also (as *S. Augustine* witnesseth) very many *Gothes*, for the Catholique fayth, were crowned with Martyrdome. At(a) *Braga* in *Portugall* of S. *Victor* Martyr, who being yet but a Cathecumen, for refusing to worship an Idoll, and with great constancy confessinge Iesus-Christ, after many tormẽts being beheaded, was baptized in his owne bloud. At *Fermo* in (b) *Marc-Ancona* of S. *Vissia* Virgin & Martyr. At *Rome* in the way called *Aurelia*, the birth-day of S. *Iulius* Pope; who hauing greatly laboured in defence of the Catholique fayth against the *Arians*, and performed many other notable thinges, renowned for holynes, rested in peace. At the Towne of (c) *Vaping*, of S. *Constantine* Bishop and Confessour. At *Pauia* of S. *Damianus* Bishop.

a Brara.

b Picenum.

c In Fran

Martyr. The same day of S. *Ardalion* a Stage player, who whilst vpon the stage be[illegible] fed at the holy Ceremonies of Christian[illegible] being changed vpon a suddaine, approu[illegible] the same not only in wordes, but with [illegible] testimony of his bloud. At *Lyons* of S. [illegible] *bert* Bishop and Confessour. At *Alexan*[illegible] of S. *Fronto* Abbot, renowned for [illegible] nes of life and miracles. At *Rome* of S. *Ar*[illegible] *dius* Mansioner of the Church of *S. Peter*.

G *The fiftenth Day.*

AT *Rome* of the Saints *Basilissa* & *Ana*[illegible] *stasia* women of Noble Extraction [illegible] Disciples of the Apostles, who persisting constant in the confession of their fayth vnder *Nero* the Emperour, hauing first their tongues and feete cut off, at last beheaded obtayned the crowne of Martyrdome. The same day of the holy Martyrs *Maro*, *Eutych*[illegible] and *Victorinus*, who togeather with *S. Flo*[illegible] *uia Domitilla*, for the confession of Christ be[illegible] ing first banished into the Iland *Pontia*, and afterward recalled thence vnder *Nerua* the Emperour, after that they had conuerted many to the fayth of Christ, were in the persecution of *Traian*, by commaundment of *Valerian* the Iudge, put to death by di[illegible]

ds of torments. At *Cordula* in *Perſia* of the
ly Martyrs *Maximus* and *Olimpiades*, who
der *Decius* the Emperour were ſo long
ten with clubbes, and whippes of lead
till their heads being all bruiſed, they
e vp the Ghoſt. At (a) *Fiorentino* in *Cam-* a Ferc
ia, of S. *Eutychius* Martyr. At *Myra* in *Ly-* tinum
of S. *Creſcens*, who receaued Martyr- Hermic
ne by fyre. Alſo of the holy Martyrs
oderus, and *Pauſilippus*, who ſuffered vn-
Hadrian the Emperour.

A *The ſixteenth Day.*

AT *Corinth* the birth-day of the holy
Martyrs *Calliſtus*, *Chariſius*, and ſeauen
ers, who all were drowned in the ſea.
(a) *Saragoza* in *Spayne* the birth-day of a Caſa
ineen holy Martyrs *Optatus*, *Lupercus*, *Suc-* auguſta
s, *Martialis*, *Vrbanus*, *Iulia*, *Quintilianus*, *Pu-*
s, *Fronto*, *Felix*, *Caecilianus*, *Euentius*, *Primi-*
s, *Apodemius*, and foure others, who are
to haue bene called *Saturnini*: All theſe
ler *Dacian* Preſident of *Spayne*, were to-
ther put to diuers torments, and ſlayne;
oſe renowned Martyrdome *Prudentius*
ſet forth in verſe. There alſo of *S. En-*
des Virgin and Martyr, who after her
y all torne, her breaſts cut of, her liuer

plucked out, and ſhe yet rem
was caſt into pryſon, where
her wounds ſhe obtained a C
tyrdome. In the ſame Citty
Caius and *Crementius*, who pe
the ſecond tyme, in the confe
fayth, dranke finally of the c
tyrdome. There alſo of S. *La*
At *Palentia* of S. *Turibius* Biſh
ga, who by the help of S. *Le*
the hereſy of the *Priſcillianists*
Spayne, and famous for mira
peace. At (c) *Braga* in *Portugall*
Biſhop. The ſame day of S
ſhop of (d) *Aurenches*. At *Va*
lower Germany, of S. *Drogo*

b Aſturica.

c Bracara.

d Abrincæ.

B *The ſeauententh*

AT *Rome* of S. *Anicetus* P
tyr, who in the perſecu
Aurelius Antoninus, and *Lucius*
the palme of Martyrdome.
birth-day of *S. Mappalicus* Ma
S. *Cyprian* wryteth in his
Martyrs & Confeſſours) wit
was crowned with Martyr
alſo of the holy Martyrs *Fort*
cianus. At *Antioch* of the holy

Deacon; and *Hermogenes* his ſeruant. At *Cordoua* of the holy Martyrs *Elias* Prieſt, *Paulus* and *Iſidorus* monkes. At *Vienna* of S. *Pantagathus* Biſhop. At (a) *Tortona* of S. *Innocentius* Biſhop & Confeſſour. At (b) *Ciſteaux* in *Burgundy* of S. *Stephen* Abbot, who was the firſt that inhabited that ſolitary place, and ioyfully receaued S. *Bernard* with his fellowes, when they came thither.

a Tort na.

b Ciſtium.

C *The eighteenth Day.*

AT *Rome* of *S. Apollonius* a Senatour, who vnder the Emperour *Commodus*, and *Perennius* Gouernour, being betrayed by his owne ſeruant to be a Chriſtian, was commaunded to giue an account of his fayth, which he did in a learned Booke by him written, and read in the Senate, yet neuertheleſſe was by the ſentence of the ſame Senate beheaded. At *Meſsina* the birth-day of the holy Martyrs *Eleutherius* Biſhop of *Sclauonia*, & *Anthia* his mother, who renowned for holynes of lyfe, and miracles, hauing endured diuers cruell torméts by fyre, boyling oyle, pitch, and raſine; being caſt alſo vnto the Lyõs, but nothing hurt by them, was at laſt togeather with his forſayd mother vnder *Hadrian* the Emperour killed.

a Meſ na.

There also of *S. Corebus* Gouernour, v
conuerted to the fayth by the said *Ele*
rius, was slayne by the sword. At *Brescia*
Calocerus Martyr, who being conuert
the fayth of Christ by *S. Faustinus* and *I*
vnder the same *Hadrian*, accomplishe
glorious combat of Martyrdome. At (a)
doua of S. *Perfectus* Priest and Martyr,
was killed by the *Mores*, for inueying ag
the Sect of *Mahomet*. At *Millan* of S. *Gal*
Bishop, who hauing preached a Ser
against the Heretiques, at the end th
gaue vp his soule to God.

D *The nineteenth Day.*

THE birth-day of S. *Timon*, one
first seauen Deacons: who h
preached the Ghospell at *Beroea* and
places, came at last to *Corinth*, where
cast into the fyre by the Iewes and Ge
as it is recorded, but nothing hurt ther
last crucifyed on a Crosse accomplish
Martyrdome. At *Melitine* in *Armenia*
holy Martyrs *Hermogenes*, *Caius*, *Exp*
Aristonicus, *Rufus*, & *Galata* all crowned
Martyrdome on one day. At (a) *Col*
Catalonia the passiō of *S. Vincent* Marty
same day of the holy Martyrs Socrat

Cauco-
ris.

Dennis, who were thrust through with launces. At *Hierusalem* of S. *Paphnutius* Martyr. At *Canterbury* in *England* of S. *Elphegus* Bishop and Martyr. At *Antioch* in *Pisidia* of S. *George* Bishop, who for worshipping of holy Images, dyed in banishment. At *Rome* of S. *Leo* Pope, the nynth of that name, renowned for holines of life and miracles. In the Monastery of (b) *Lob*, of S. *Vrsmarus* Bishop. At *Florence* of *S. Crescentius* Confessour, Disciple to S. *Zenobius* Bishop. b1

E *The twentith Day.*

AT *Rome* of the holy Martyrs *Sulpitius* and *Seruilianus*, who being conuerted to the fayth of Christ, by the persuasion, and miracles of *S. Domitilla* Virgin, for refusing to sacrifice to the Idols, in the persecution of *Traian*, was by *Aninus* Gouernour of the Citty, beheaded. The same day of the holy Martyrs *Victor*, *Zoticus*, *Zano*, *Asindius*, *Cæsarius*, *Seuerianus*, *Chrysophorus*, *Theonas*, and *Antoninus*, who hauing bene diuers wayes tryed, for the fayth of Christ, vnder *Diocletian* accomplished their Martyrdome. At *Tomis* in *Scythia* of *S. Theotimus* Bishop, who for his great holines and miracles was honoured euen of the very bar-

barians & Infidels. At (a) *Ambrun* in *France* of S. *Marcellinus* the firſt Biſhop of that Citty, who being inſpired by God, came out of *Affrica* into *France* with *S. Vincent* & *Dominus*, and there by workes and miracles, conuerted the greateſt part of the Inhabitans of the Alpes neere the ſea coaſt, to the fayth of Chriſt; and is euen to this day glorifyed by miracles. At (b) *Auxerre* of S. *Marcianus* Prieſt. The ſame day of *S. Theodorus* Confeſſour (who of the rough hayry-garment which he vſed to weare, was ſurnamed *Trichinas*) renowned for many miracles, eſpecially againſt the diuels: Out of whoſe body there yſſueth an oyntment which reſtoreth health to the ſicke. At (c) *Monte Pulciano*, of S. *Agnes* Virgin, renowned for miracles.

F *The one and twentith Day.*

IN *Perſia* the birth-day of S. *Simeon* Biſhop of *Seleucia* and *Cteſiphon*, who by commaundment of *Sapores* King of the *Perſians* being apprehended, loaden with irō and preſented to the Tribunall, for refuſing to adore the *Sunne*, and profeſſing conſtantly the Name of Ieſus Chriſt, was togeather with an hundred others (amōg whom

me, ſome were Biſhops, ſome Prieſts, uers others of the Clergy) firſt, a long le ſtarued in pryſon; but afterward *Vſthazanes* the Kings Tutor (who had le before fallen from the fayth, & re- d to pennance by S. *Simeon*) conſtant- dured martyrdome, the next day being nniuerſary of our Lords Paſſion, all eſt being put to the ſword before his whome he exhorted to conſtancy, was elfe alſo at laſt beheaded. There ſuffe- vith him *Abedechalas* and *Ananias* wor- nen and Prieſts; *Puſicius* alſo Maiſter : Kings Arrificers, who for encoura- *Ananias*, that began ſomwhat to ſtag- boared through the necke about the e-bone, and his tongue drawen out, a moſt cruell death. After whome al- daughter, a ſacred Virgin, was killed. *lexandria* of the holy Martyrs *Arator* t, *Fortunatus*, *Felix*, *Siluius* and *Vitalis*, dyed in pryſon. Moreouer of the s *Apollo*, *Iſacius*, and *Crotates*, who ſuffe- nder *Diocletian*. At *Caterbury* in *England* *Anſelmus* Biſhop, famous for holines of nd learning. At *Antioch* of S. *Anaſta-* *Sinai*, Biſhop and Confeſſour.

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AT Rome in the way called
birth-day of S. Sotho Pope
eyr. There also of S. Caius Pope,
der Diocletian the Emperour was
with Martyrdome. At Smyrna of t
Apelles and Lucius, two of the first
of Christ. The same day, of m
Martyrs, who the next yeare after
vpon Good Friday, in diuers R
Persia, vnder Sapores King, we
death by the sword for the Name
In which persecution also, suffer
an Eunuch, dearely beloued of t
Milles a Bishop renowned for h
life and miracles: Acepsimas a Bi
with his Priest Iames: Also Aithal
seph Priests, Azadan and Abdiesus
with many others of the Clergy:
ny Monks also, & sacred Virgins,
whome was Tarbula the syster
mon, with her wayting-mayd, v
vnto stakes, sawed in peeces, w
cruelly killed: Mareas also, & Bicor
with twenty other Bishops, & al
hundred & fifty of the Clergie. A
In Persia of the Saints Parmenius, He

ryſotelus Prieſts, *Lucas* and *Mucius* Deacons, whoſe triumphant Martyrdome is written in the paſſion of the Saints *Abdon* and *Sennen*. At *Alexandria* the birth-day of *Leonides* Martyr, who ſuffered vnder *Severus*. At (a) Lyons of S. *Epipodius*, who in the perſecution of *Antoninus Verus*, togeather with *Alexander* his fellow being apprehend, and put to many cruell torments, finally beheaded, accompliſhed their Martyrdome. At (b) *Sens* of S. *Leo* Biſhop and Confeſſor. At *Anaſtaſiopolis*, of S. *Theodorus* Biſhop, renowned for miracles.

a Lug num.

b Sen nz.

A *The three and twentith Day.*

THE birth-day of S. *George* Martyr, whoſe glorious paſſion the Church of God honoureth amongſt the Crownes of other Saints. At *Valence* in *France*, the paſſion of the holy Martyrs *Felix* Prieſt, *Fortunatus* and *Achilleus* Deacons, who ſent thither by *Irenaus* Biſhop of *Lyons* to preach the word of God, after they had conuerted the greateſt part of that Citty to the fayth of Chriſt, being caſt into pryſon by *Cornelius* the Captaine, & ſore whipped, hauing all their thighes broken vpon the wheele, & *baked with* ſmoke whileſt they were racked

racked vpon the torture *Equuleus*, were at laſt beheaded. In *Pruſsia* the birth-day of *S. Adalbertus* Biſhop of *Prage* and Martyr, who preached the Goſpell to the *Polonians*, and *Hungarians*. At *Millane* of Saint *Marolus* Biſhop and Confeſſour. At (a) *Toul* in *Lorayne*, of *S. Gerard* Biſhop of the ſame Citty.

(a) III.

B *The foure and twentith Day.*

AT *Rome* of S. *Sabas* a Captaine, who being accuſed for viſiting the Chriſtians in pryſon, and freely before the Iudge confeſſing Chriſt, was by commandement of the ſame Iudge, firſt burned with torches, and then caſt into a Caldrone of boyling pitch, wherin whē he receaued no hurt, threeſcore & ten others by that miracle were conuerted, who all remayning conſtant in their fayth, dyed by the ſword; and himſelfe laſtly drowned in a riuer, accompliſhed his Martyrdome. At *Lyons* in *France* the birth-day of *S. Alexander* Martyr, who in the perſecution of *Antoninus Verus*, after long impryſonement, was ſo cruelly torne with whippes, that, the fleſh beaten from his ribbes, his bowels were opened, & his inward partes ſeene; and finally crucified on a Croſſe, he yielded vp his bleſſed ſoule.

soule. There suffered with him thirty and foure more, whose memoryes are kept vpon other dayes. The same day of the holy Martyrs *Eusebius*, *Neon*, *Leontius*, *Longinus*, and foure others, who in the persecution of *Diocletian* after cruell torments, were beheaded. In *England* the deposition of *S. Mellitus* Bishop, who being sent thither by S. *Gregory* Pope, conuerted the *East-Saxons*, and their King to the fayth. At (a) *Colibre* in *Spayne*. of S. *Gregory* Bishop and Confessour. At *Brescia* of S. *Honorius* Bishop. In *Ireland* of S. *Egbert* Priest, & monke, a man of wonderfull humility and continency. At *Rhemes* of the holy Virgins *Bona*, and *Doda*.

a Iris.

C *The fiue and twentith Day.*

AT *Alexandria* the birth-day of *S. Marke* Euangelist, the Disciple & Interpreter of *S. Peter*, who writing his Gospell at the request of the Christians at *Rome*, tooke it with him, and went into *Aegypt*; where first preaching Christ at *Alexandria*, he founded that Church; but afterward apprehended for the fayth of Christ, bound with cordes, and dragged vpon stones, endured great torments; then being shut vp in prison, where he was comforted by the visiõ

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of an Angell, and alſo by an apparition
our Lord, was finally called to the kin
dome of heauen, the eyght yeare of *Ne*
At *Rome* in the Church of *S. Peter*, the Ce
brity of the *Greater Letanyes*, inſtituted
yracu- S. *Gregory* Pope. At (a) *Syracuſa* of the ho
martyrs *Euodius*, *Hermogenes*, and *Calliſtus*.
Antioch of *S. Stephen* Biſhop & Martyr, w
many wayes afflicted by the heretiqu
that impugned the Councell of *Chalced*
was caſt headlong into the Riuer *Oronte*
the tyme of *Zeno* the Emperour. There a
of the Saints *Philo* and *Agathopodes* Deaco
At *Alexandria* of *Anianus* Biſhop, Diſcipl
S. *Marke*, and his ſucceſſour in that
antbiū ſhopricke, who greatly renowned for
vertues, reſted in our Lord. At (b)
the birth-day of S. *Erminus* Biſhop and C
feſſour.

D *The ſix and twentith Day.*

AT *Rome* the birth-day of S. Cl
Pope, who next after S. *Peter* got
ned the Church, and was crowned w
Martyrdome in the perſecutiō of *Domi*
There alſo of S. *Marcellinus* Pope and M
tyr, who vnder *Diocletian* was behea
for the faith of Chriſt, together with C

lus, *Cyrinus*, and *Antoninus*. At which tyme he perſecution was ſo great, that in the ſpa-e of a moneth ſeauenteene thouſand Chri-tias ſuffered Martyrdome. At *Amaſia* in *Pon-us* of S. *Baſil* Biſhop & Martyr, who vnder *icinius* Emperour accompliſhed a glorious artyrdome. His body being caſt into the a, & by reuelation of an Angell found out y *Elpidiphorus*, was very honourably entō-ed. At (a) *Braga* in *Portugall* of S. *Peter* Mar-yr, & firſt Biſhop of that Citty. At *Vienna* of a Brac . *Clarentius* Biſhop and Confeſſour. At *Ve-ona* of S. *Lucidus* Biſhop. In the Monaſte-y of *Centula* of S. *Richarius* Prieſt and Con-eſſour. At (b) *Troys* of S. *Exuperantia* Virgin. b Tre

E *The ſeauen and twentith Day.*

AT *Nicomedia* the birth-day of S. *Anthi-mus* Biſhop and Martyr, who in the erſecution of *Diocletian*, for the confeſſion f Chriſt being beheaded, obtayned the lory of Martyrdome: whoſe conſtancy he moſt part of his flocke following, the udge commaunded ſome to be beheaded, thers to be burned, and others to be put nto little boates, & drowned in the ſea. At *Iarſus* in *Cilicia* of the Saints *Caſſer* and *tephen Martyrs*. At *Rome* the depoſition of

fayth. At *Paphos* in *Cyprus* of *S. Tychicus* Disciple to Saint *Paul* the Apostle, whome in his Epistles he calleth a most deare Brother, a faythfull Minister, and his fellow-seruant in our Lord. At *Cirtha* in *Numidia* the birth-day of the holy Martyrs *Agapius*, and *Secundinus* Bishops, who after a long banishment, in the persecution of *Valerianus*, in which the fury of the Gentils raged most against the Iust, were from the high degree of Priesthood, aduaunced to the glory of Martyrdome. There suffered in their company *Aemilianus* a Souldier, *Tertulla*, and *Antonia* Sacred Virgins, and a certaine Christian woman, with her two Twyns. The same day, of seauen holy Theeues, who being conuerted to Christ by *S. Iason*, did purchase by Martyrdome life euerlasting. At *Brescia* of S. *Paulinus* Bishop and Confessor. In the Monastery of (a) *Cluny* of *S. Hugh* Abbot. In the Monastery of *Molesmes*, of *S. Robert* the first Abbot of *Cisterce*. At *Rome* of S. *Catherine* of *Siena* Virgin, of the Order of S. *Dominicke*, renowned for Sanctimony of life and miracles; whome Pope *Pius* the second canonized for a Saint.

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A The thirtith Day.

T *Lambeſis* in *Numidia* the birth-day
of the holy Martyrs *Marianus* Lector,
Iames Deacon, the former of whome
ing long ſuffered many afflictions for
Confeſſion of Chriſt, in the perſecuti
ecius, was the ſecond tyme apprehen-
togeather with his ſaid Companion,
after moſt cruell & exquiſite torments,
g twice comforted by a light from hea-
, were both at laſt, with many other
iſtians beheaded. At (a) *Saints* of S. *Et-*
us Biſhop and Martyr, who being or-
ied by S. *Clement* Pope, and ſent into
ce, after he had there long preached
Ghoſpell, being bruized in the head, for
mony of Chriſt, made a glorious end.
b) *Cordoua* of the holy Martyrs *Amator*
ſt, *Peter* Monke, & *Lewis*. At *Nouara* of
urence Prieſt, and many other children
tyrs, of whome he had charge for their
ation. At *Alexandria* of the holy Mar-
Aphrodiſius Prieſt and thirty others. At
us of S. *Maximus* Martyr, who was
ned in the perſecution of *Decius*. At
o in (c) *Marc-Ancona* of S. *Sophia* Virgin
Martyr. At *Naples* in *Campania* of S. Se-

a Sant nes.

b Cór duba.

c Pico

uerus Biſhop, who among other miracles rayſed a dead man to life, to conuince a lying Creditour of a certaine Widdow, and Orphans. At *Euorea* in *Epyrus* of S. *Donatus* Biſhop, who liued in great holines of life in the tyme of *Theodoſius* the Emperour. At *London* in *England* of S. *Erconwald* Biſhop, renowned for miracles.

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B *The firſt Day.*

THE birth-day of the bleſſed Apoſtles *Philip* & *Iames*; of whome S. *Philip*, after he had cõuerted almoſt all *Scythia* to the fayth of Chriſt, at *Hierapolis* a Citty in *Aſia* being ed to a Croſſe, and ouerwelmed with , made a glorious end. But S. *Iames*, s called the Brother of our Lord, & he firſt Biſhop of *Hieruſalem*, being ne downe from a pinnacle of the le, and his thighes broken, woun- *ſo in the head* with a Dyars ſtaffe,

gaue vp the ghoſt, and was buryed
vnto the Temple. In *Aegypt* of *S. Hie*
Prophet, who being ſtoned by the pe
dyed at *Taphnas*, and was there bury
whoſe Sepulcher, as wryteth *Epiph*
the deuout people were wont to reſo
make their prayers, and taking duſt
thence, did therewith heale the byt
Serpents. In *France* in the Territory
a Vitaria *Vitry*, of S. *Andeolus* Subdeacon, who
others being ſent out of the Eaſt into
by S. *Polycarpe*, to preach the word of
was vnder *Seuerus* the Emperour firſt b
with cudgelle, and then hauing his
deuided into foure parts, with a woo
b Oſca. ſword, in the forme of a croſſe, accõp
his Martyrdome. At (b) *Hueſca* in *Spa*
the holy Martyrs *Orentius* and *Patien*
Sedune in *France*, the paſſion of *S. Sig*
King of the *Burgundians*, who drow
c Antiſi- a well, was afterwards renowned for
odorum. cles. At (c) *Auxerre* of S. *Amator* Biſho
d Auſciũ Confeſſour. At (d) *Auch* of *S. Orienti*
ſhop. In *England* of the Saints *Aſaph* B

C *The ſecond Day.*

AT *Alexandria* the birth-day of Saint *Athanaſius* Biſhop of the ſame Citty, renowned for holynes of life and doctrine, againſt whome thogh all the world almoſt conſpired, he notwithſtanding ſtoutly defended the Catholique fayth, from the time of *Conſtantine* vnto *Valens*, againſt both Emperours, Gouernors, & innumerable *Arrian* Biſhops, by whome many deceitful practiſes to intrap him were contriued, ſo that he was forced to fly into moſt parts of the world, where finding no place of ſafety, at laſt returned to his owne Church, & there after many afflictions, and crownes of Patience, the ſix & fourtith yeare of his Prieſthood, he departed to our Lord, in the tyme of *Valentinian* and *Valens* Emperours. At *Rome* of the holy Martyrs *Saturninus*, *Neopolus*, *Germanus*, and *Caleſtinus*, who after many afflictios endured, being caſt into pryſon, there made an holy end. Moreouer of the Martyrs *Exuperius* and *Zoes* his wife, *Cyriacus*, & *Theodulus* their children, who ſuffered vnder *Hadrian* the Emperour. At *Seuill* of S. *Felix* Deacon and Martyr. The ſame day of S. *Vindemialis* Biſhop and Martyr, whoto-

geather with *Eugenius* and *Longin*
reſiſting the *Arrians*, both by
and miracles, by commaundmen
ricus the Arrian King was behe
a Abulas *Auila* in *Spayne* of S. *Secundus*
whome mention is made afte
the fifteenth day of *May*, toge
others. At *Florence* of *S. Antoninus*
the Order of S. *Dominicke*, fam
holines of life, and learning.

D *The third Day.*

AT *Hieruſalem* the Inuen
holy Croſſe of our Lord,
ſtantine the Emperour. At *Rome*
called *Numentana*, the paſſion
Martyrs *Alexander* Pope, *Euentiu*
dulus Prieſts; of whome *Alexa*
Hadrian the Emperour, and *Aur*
after he had endured impryſon
ters, the torture *Equuleus*, iron
fyre, being at laſt pricked with
in euery part of his body, ended
dome. But *Euentius* and *Theodul*
impriſonment, being tormen
a Narnia were finally beheaded. At (a)
Iuuenall Biſhop and Confeſſor.
nople of the holy Martyrs *Alexa*

ier, and *Antonina* Virgin, who in the perſe-
ution of *Maximian* the Emperour, vnder
ius Gouernour, being condemned to the
wes, was by *Alexander* ſecretly deliuered
ence, by changing apparell with her, &
mayning there in her place; but ſhe being
ken againe, they were both togeather
elly tormented: and laſtly hauing their
ndes cut off, and caſt into the fyre, after a
ble combat endured for the confeſſion
Chriſt, they both receaued a Crowne of
rtyrdome. In *Thebais* of the holy Mar-
s *Timotheus* and *Maura* his wyfe: whome
nus the Gouernour after many torments,
mmaunded to be crucifyed on a Croſſe,
ere hanging nyne dayes aliue encoura-
g ech other in their fayth, accompliſhed
ir Martyrdome. At *Aphrodiſia* in (b) *Caria* b In
he holy Martyrs *Diodorus* & *Rodopianus*, mino
o in the perſecution of *Diocletian* were
ned by people of their owne Citty.

E *The fourth Day.*

AT *Oſtia* in the mouth of the riuer *Ti-
bur*, the birth-day of S. *Monica* Mother
S. Auguſtine, who hath left written her
nous life, in the nynth booke of his
nfeſſions. At the Mettle-mynes of Phen-

ies in *Palestine*, the birth-day of S. [illegible]
Bishop of *Gaza*, who in the persecut
Diocletian, by commaundment of *Max*
with many others of the Clergy, rec
the crowne of Martyrdome. The
of nyne and thirty other Martyrs,
being condemned to the mynes, after
torments, and fearing with shoat-ba
irons endured, were at last all tog
beheaded. At *Hierusalem* of S. *Cyriac*
shop, who cōming thither to visit th
places, was killed vnder *Iulia* the *Apost*
Vmbria of S. *Porphyrius* Martyr. At *Nic*
of S. *Antonia* Martyr, who after man
ments being hanged vp by one arme
dayes togeather, and kept two yea
pryson, at last was burned by *Prisci*
Presidēt, for the confession of Christ.
Lauffen in the Dutchy of *Styria*, of S. *Pi*
Martyr, who vnder *Diocletian* Emp
by commaundement of *Aquilinus* G
nour, hauing a great stone tyed abo
necke was throwne headlong into t
uer of *Anisus*. At *Tharsis* of S. *Pelagia* V
who vnder *Diocletian*, being shut v
hoate burning Oxe of brasse, accomp
her Martyrdome. At *Cullen* of S. *Pi*
Martyr. At *Millan* of S. *Venerius* Bi
whose vertues are witnessed by *Swin*

Chryſoſtome in a letter which he wrote vnto him. In the *Territory* of (b) *Perigueux* of S. *Eucerdos* Biſhop of (c) *Limoges*. At (d) *Auxerre* of S. *Carcodomus* Deacon.

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F *The fift of May.*

AT *Rome* of *Saint Creſcentiana* Martyr. There alſo of S. *Siluanus* Martyr. At *Alexandria* of S. *Euthymius* Deacon, who dyed in pryſon for the confeſſion of Chriſt. At *Theſſalonica* the birth-day of the holy Martyrs *Irenæus*, *Peregrinus*, and *Irenes*, conſumed by fyre. At (a) *Auxerre* the paſſion of S. *Iouinianus* Lector. At *Leocata* in *Sicily*, of S. *Angelus* Prieſt, of the Order of *Carmelites*, who was ſlayne by the Heretiques for defending the Catholique fayth. At *Hieruſalem* of S. *Maximus* Biſhop and Confeſſor, vnder *Maximinus* Emperour, who hauing one of his eyes plucked out, and one of his feete ſcared with a hoate iron, was condemned to the mettall mines. At *Edeſſa* in *Syria* of S. *Eulogius* Biſhop and Confeſſor. At (e) *Arles* in *France* of S. *Hilary* Biſhop, renowned for ſanctity of life and learning. At *Vienna* of S. *Nicetius* Biſhop, venerable for holynes of life. At *Bolonia* of S. *Theodorus* Biſhop, renowned for merits. The ſame

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day of S. *Sacerdos* Biſhop of (d) *Sig*
At *Millan* of S. *Geruntius* Biſhop. Ther
the conuerſion of S. *Auguſtine* Biſhop
Doctor of the Church, whome S. *A*
inſtructed in the Catholique fayth, a
gized on this day.

G *The firſt Day.*

AT *Rome* of S. *Iohn* Euangeliſt,
by cõmaundment of *Domitiã*, b
priſoner from *Epheſus* to *Rome*, and th
ſentence of the Senate, before the G
led *Latina*, being put into a veſſell o
ling oyle, came out more pure and
then before. At *Antioch* of S. *Euodius*, w
S. *Ignatius* writeth to the *Antiochians*,
created the firſt Biſhop of that Citty
Peter the Apoſtle, ended his life by
rious Martyrdome. At *Cyrene* of S.
Biſhop, of whome S. *Luke* maketh me
in the Acts of the Apoſtles. In *Affrica*
holy Martyrs *Heliodorus* and *Venuſtus*,
threeſcore and fifteene others. In *Cy*
S. *Theodotus* Biſhop of *Cyrinia*, who h
endured moſt grieuous perſecution
Licinius the Emperour, at length, in pe
the Church, gaue vp his ſoule to G
Damaſco the birth-day of S. *Iohn Dam*

enowned for holines of life and doctrine, Who conſtantly oppoſed himſelfe, both by word and writing againſt *Leo Iſauricus*, in defence of holy Images; for which cauſe hauing his right Hand cut off, by commaundment of the ſaid Emperour, and deoutly commending himſelfe, before an mage of our bleſſed Lady which he had defended, forthwith receaued the ſame againe ſound & whole. At *Carrha* in *Meſopotamia* of S. *Protogenes* Biſhop. In *England* of . *Eadbertus* Biſhop of *Lindisfarne* famous r learning and piety. At *Rome* of S. *Benedicta* Virgin. At *Salerno* the tranſlation of S. *Matthew* Apoſtle, whoſe holy body being rought out of *Aethiopia*, to diuers other ountryes, was at laſt tranſlated to that ity, and there with great honour placed a Church dedicated vnto his Name, in he tyme of Pope *Gregory* the ſeauenth.

A *The ſeauenth Day.*

AT (a) *Cracaw* in *Polonia*, the birth-day of S. *Staniſlaus* Biſhop and Martyr, who was ſlayne by the impious King *Boleſlaus*. At *Terracina* in *Campania* the birthday of S. *Flauia Domitilla* Virgin and Martyr, neece to *Flauius Clemens* the Conſull, who

(a) Cracouia.

conſe-

consecrated to God by S. *Clement* 1
was in the persecution of *Domitian*, f
testimony of Christ, sent into banish
into the Iland *Pontia*, with many o
where she endured a long Martyrd
but being afterward brought backe t
racina, after she had by her doctrine &
racles cõuerted many to the fayth of C
was at last, togeather with the Virgin
phrosina and *Theodora*, burned in her
house, by commaundment of the Iud
so accomplished the course of her Ma
dome. The same day of S. *Iuuenal* M
At *Nicomedia* of the holy Martyrs *Fl*
Augustus, and *Augustinus* Brothers. Ther
of S. *Quadratus* Martyr, who in the p
cution of *Decius* hauing byn often tort
was at last beheaded. At *Rome* of S. *Be*
Pope and Confessor. At *Yorke* in *Engl*
S. *Iohn* Bishop, famous for holines of l
miracles. At *Pauia* of S. *Peter* Bishop
Rome the Translation of the body of *S*
phen the Protomartyr, which in the tyr
Pelagius Pope, was brought from *Consl*
nople to *Rome*, and layd in the sepulch
S. *Laurence*, without walls of the Citt
Is there still honoured with great
course of deuout people.

B *The eyght Day.*

the Mount *Garganus* the apparition of *Michael* the Archangell. At *Millan* of S. Martyr, by Nation a *More*, who in his r yeares being made a Chriſtian, and vards a Souldier in the Emperours pe, when *Maximianus* would haue cõd him to ſacrifice vnto Idols, perſeue conſtantly in the confeſſion of his h, was firſt grieuouſly beaten with ɔs, and afterward ſcalded with hoat id lead, but by the protection of God ıuing no hurt therby, at laſt by loſſe of ead, ended his glorious Martyrdome. *ınſtantinople* of S. *Acathius* a Centurion, in the perſecution of *Diocletian* & *Ma-ınus*, being accuſed by *Firmus* the Tri- : for a Chriſtian, and cruelly tortured *ibianus* the Iudge, was there finally by *ınus* Proconſull beheaded; whoſe body g by diuine power brought vnto the : of *Scyllacium*, is there kept with very t honour. At *Vienna* of S. *Dennis* Biſhop Confeſſour. At (a) *Auxerre* of S. *Helladius* op. In the territory of (b) *Bezanſon* of ter Biſhop. In *Scotland* of S. *Wira* Bi-

a Ant odorn Biſi tium.

C. *The ninth Day.*

AT *Nazianzum* the birth-day of
gory Biſhop, for his ſingular l
ledge in Diuinity, ſurnamed *The l*
who reſtored the Catholique fay
cayed at *Conſtantinople*, and ſuppreſ
tiers Hereſies then ariſing. At *Rom*
Hermes, of whome S. *Paul* the Apoſt
keth mention in his Epiſtle to the *R*
who being made an acceptable ſacri
God, adorned with many vertues, (
ned an heauenly Crowne. In P
three hundred and ten holy Marty
(a) *Caglio* in the way called *Flaminia*
paſſion of S. *Gerontius* Biſhop of (b) (
In the Caſtle of (c) *Vendome* the d
tion of S. *Beatus* Confeſſour. At *Con*
nople the tranſlation of the holy bodye
Andrew Apoſtle, and S. *Luke* Euangel
of *Achaia*; and of S. *Timothy* Diſcipl
Paul from *Epheſus*: but the body of S. *A*
being afterward brought to *Amalfi*, i
by concourſe of deuout people great
noured: Out of whoſe ſepulcher flo
a liquor continually, very ſoueraig
many diſeaſes. Moreouer at *Rome* the
ſlation of S. Hieronie Prieſt, and Doc

a Callio.
b Ficode
c Vinde-
cinum.

Church, from *Bethleem Iuda*, to the urch of S. *Mary*, named *Ad Præſepe*. At (d) i in *Apulia* the tranſlation alſo of S. *Nico-* Biſhop, from *Myra* a Citty in *Lycia*. d Ba

D *The tenth Day.*

AT *Rome* in the way called *Latina* the birth-day of the holy Martyrs *Gordia-* & *Epimachus*; of whome the former in tyme of *Iulian* the *Apoſtata*, being long ten with leaden whippes, for the con- on of the name of Chriſt, was at laſt eaded: whoſe body was in the night by Chriſtians buryed in the ſame Sepul- r, into which the Reliques of S. *Epima-* Martyr had byn a little before tranſla- from *Alexandria*, where for the fayth of riſt he had accompliſhed his Martyr- ne. In the Land of *Hus*, of S. *Iob* Pro- t, a man of wonderfull Patience. At ſe of S. *Calepodius* Prieſt and Martyr, o being beheaded by *Alexander* the perour, his body was drawne through Citty, and caſt into the riuer of *Tybur*; ich being afterward found was by Pope *ſtus* buried. In this perſecution there ſuf- d alſo *Palmatius* a Conſull, togeather h his wife and children, and fourty two

others

others of his Houshold: *Simplicius* als
nator, with his wyfe, & threescore &
of his family: *Felix* also, with his wife
da: All whose heads were set vpon
gates of the Citty, for a terrour to the
stians. Moreouer at *Rome* in the way
Latina, the birth-day of the holy M
Quartus and *Quinctus*, whose bodyes
translated to *Capua*. At (a) *Lentini* in
of the holy Martyrs *Alphius*, *Philadel*
Cyrinus. At *Smyrna* of *S. Dioscorides* M
At (b) *Tarante* of S. *Cataldus* Bisho
nowned for miracles. At *Millan* the i
tion of the holy bodies of *Nazarius*
sus Martyrs, by S. *Ambrose* Bishop, w
ding the body of S. *Nazarius* freshly
ding, translated the same to the Chu
the Apostles, togeather with the b
S. *Celsus* a boy, whome the same N
had brought vp, who in the persecu
Nero, togeather with *Nazarius* was b
ded by *Auolinus*, the 29. Day of *Iuly*
which day the feast of their Martyrd
kept.

Leonium.

Tarentum.

E *The eleauenth Day.*

AT *Rome* in the way called *Salar*
birth-day of S. *Anthimus* Priest

after he had preached the Ghospell of Christ most laudably, was in the persecution of *Diocletian* throwne headlong into the riuer of *Tybur*, but deliuered by an Angell, & carried into his owne Oratory, afterwards beheaded, ascended victoriously to heauen. The same day of *S. Euellius* Martyr, who being one of the houshould of *Nero*, by seeing the Martyrdome of *S. Torpes*, became a Christian, and for confession of the same was beheaded. Also at *Rome* of the holy martyrs *Maximus*, *Bassus*, & *Fabius*, who vnder *Diocletian* were slaine in the way called *Salaria*. At *Camerino* of the holy Martyrs *Anastasius*, and his fellowes, who in the persecution of *Decius*, vnder *Antiochus* Gouernour were killed. At (a) *Osmo* in *Marc-Ancona* of the holy Martyrs *Sisinius* Deacon, *Diocletius* and *Florentius* Disciples of *S. Anthimus* foresaid, who vnder *Diocletian* being stoned to death, accomplished their Martyrdome. At *Varennes* of S. *Gangulphus* Martyr. At *Vienna* of S. *Mamertus* Bishop, who for pacifying the wrath of God, first instituted in that Citty, the solemne Letanies; three dayes before the *Ascension* of Christ; which Custome the Vniuersall Church afterwards approued. At (b) *Sauuigni* the deposition of *Saint Maiolus* Abbot of Cluny,

a Auximum.

b Syluiniacum.

whose life was renowned for merits.
San-Seuerino in Marc-Ancona, of S. Illu
Confessour.

The twelfth Day.

AT Rome in the way called Ar
of the holy Martyrs Nereus & A
Brothers, who togeather with Flavia
tilla, whose Eunuches they were, haui
dured a long banishment in the Ilan
tia, and afterward cruelly whipped,
fusing to sacrifice vnto Idols, & for s
that hauing bene baptized by S. Pe
Apostle, they could by no meanes sa
vnto Idols, were finally by Minutiu
the Consull, beheaded. There also
way called Aurelia of S. Pancratius
who being but fourtene yeares old,
Diocletian beheaded, accomplished hi
tyrdome. Moreouer at Rome of S.
Vncle to the same Pancratius. In Sici
Philip, surnamed Argyrion, who bei
into that Iland by the Bishop of Rom
uerted a great part therof to the fa
Christ, whose holines is famous in
ring of possessed persons. At Salan
Cyprus of S. Epiphanius Bishop, who
excelling in Doctrine, especially

knowledge of the holy Scriptures, was renowned alſo for his holines of life, zeale of the Catholique fayth, liberallity to the poore, and power of working miracles. At *Conſtantinople* of S. *German* Biſhop, famous for vertue and learning, who with great courage & conſtancy reproued *Leo Iſauricus* for publiſhing an Edict againſt holy Images. At *Treuers* of S. *Modoaldus* Biſhop. In the Citty of *Calciata* of *S. Dominicke* Confeſſour.

G *The thirteenth Day.*

AT *Rome* the dedication of the Church of *S. Mary*, called *Ad Martyres*, which hauing ſometimes byn an Idolotrous Tẽple of all the Gods, named *Pantheon*, *Pope Boniface* the fourth conſecrated to the Honour of the Bleſſed, and euer-Virgin *Mary*, and of all Martyrs, in the tyme of *Phocas* the Emperour. At *Conſtantinople* of S. *Mucius* Prieſt and Martyr, who vnder *Diocletian* the Emperour, and *Laodicius* Proconſull, hauing firſt, at *Amphipolis*, endured many torments for the confeſſion of Chriſt, & afterwards brought as farre as *Bizantium*, was finally beheaded. At *Heraclea* of S. *Gliceria* Martyr, a Roman by byrth, who ſuffered

vnder *Antoninus* Emperour, and *Sabinus* Gouernour. At *Alexandria* the Commemoration of many holy Martyrs, who for the Catholique fayth were killed by the *Arians*, in the Church of *Theonas*. At (a) *Maestricht* of Saint *Seruatius* Bishop of *Tungres*, whose sepulcher, in testimony of his great holynes, when in the winter tyme all places round about were couered with snow, was neuer touched therewith, vntill by the Cittyzens industry, a goodly Church was built ouer it. In *Palestine* of S. *Iohn*, surnamed *Silentiarius*.

A *The fourteenth Day*.

THE birth-day of S. *Bonifacius* Martyr, who vnder *Diocletian* and *Maximian* Emperours suffered at *Tharsus* in *Cilicia*; but afterward translated to *Rome*, was buryed in the way called *Latina*. In *France* of S. *Pontius* Martyr, who by his preaching and industry, hauing conuerted the two *Philips* Emperours, to the fayth of Christ, vnder *Valerianus* and *Gallienus* obteyned the palme of Martyrdome. In *Syria* of the holy Martyrs *Victor*, and *Corona*, vnder *Antoninus* Emperour; of whome *Victor*, being put to diuers cruell torments by *Sebastian* the Iudge,

e, when *Corona* (a Souldiers wyfe) a lowde voyce, highly commended or his conſtant ſuffering, and affir- that ſhe ſaw two Crownes falling heauen, one for *Victor*, & another for f, was tyed to the bowes of trees, and in peeces by the violent flying backe f; but *Victor* was beheaded. In *Sardinia* holy Martyrs *Iuſta*, *Iuſtina*, and *Hene-* At *Rome* of S. *Paſchalis* Pope who tooke any bodyes of holy Martyrs out of , and honourably placed them in di- Churches. At (a) *Ferento* in *Tuſcany* of a r *nifacius* Biſhop, who, as S. *Gregory* tum teſtifieth, euen frō his childhood was wned for miracles. At *Naples* in *Cam-* of S. *Pomponius* Biſhop. In *Aegypt* of S. *mius* Abbot, who erected many Mo- ryes there, and wrote a Rule for his kes, which was dictated vnto him Angell.

B *The fiftenth Day.*

Spayne of the Saints *Torquatus*, *Cteſi- n*, *Secundus*, *Indaletius*; *Caecilius*, *Heſychius* *uphraſius*, who being all ordayned Bi- s at *Rome* by the holy Apoſtles, & ſent *Spayne* to preach the word of God, af-

ter they had brought many Cittyes and people to the ſubiection of Chriſt, they reſted in our Lord, in diuers places of the ſame Kingdome; as *Torquatus* at (a) *Guadix*, *Cteſiphon* at (b) *Vierza*, *Secundus* at (c) *Anile*, *Indaletius* at (d) *Bera*, *Cecilius* at (e) *Celibre*, *Heſychius* at (f) *Carthagena*, and *Euphraſius* at (g) *Andugar*. At (h) *Euora* in *Portugal* of S. *Mancius* Martyr. In the Iland of *Chio* the birth-day of S. *Iſidore* Martyr, in whoſe Church there is a Well, whereinto it is recorded that he was caſt, the water of which being often drunke healeth the ſicke. At *Lampſacum* in *Helleſpont* the paſſion of the Saints *Peter*, *Andrew*, *Paul*, and *Dionyſia*. At (i) *Terranoua* in *Sardinia* of S. *Simplicius* Biſhop and Martyr, who in the perſecution of *Dioclesian* vnder *Barbarus* Gouernour, being thruſt through with a launce, accompliſhed his Martyrdome. At *Auuergne* of the holy Martyrs *Caſſius*, *Victorinus*, *Maximus*, and their fellowes. In *Brabant* of S. *Dympna* Virgin and Martyr, daughter to a King of *Ireland*, who for the fayth of Chriſt, and preſeruing of her virginity, was by her owne Fathers commaundement beheaded.

C *The ſixteenth Day.*

AT (a) *Eugubio* in *Italy* of *S. Vbaldus* Biſhop, renowned for miracles. In *Iſauria* the birth-day of the holy Martyrs *Aquinas*, and *Victorianus*. At (b) *Auxerre* the paſſion of S. *Peregrinus* the firſt Biſhop of that Citty, who being ſent into *France* with other of the Clergy by S. *Sixtus* Pope, after he had there preached the Goſpell of Chriſt, deſerued a Crowne of Martyrdome by being beheaded. At *Vzalis* in *Affrica* of the holy Martyrs *Felix* and *Gennadius*. In *Paleſtine* the paſſion of many holy Monkes, ſlayne by the Saracens in the Monaſtery of S. *Sabas*. In *Perſia* of the holy Martyrs *Audas* Biſhop, ſeauen Prieſts, nyne Deacons, & ſeauen Virgins, who vnder King *Iſdegerdes*, enduring diuers kind of torments, accompliſhed a moſt renowned Martyrdome. At *Lutiens* in *France* of S. *Honoratus* Biſhop. At (c) *Mans* of S. *Domnolus* Biſhop. At (d) *Troys* of S. *Fidolus* Confeſſor. In *Scotland* of S. *Brandanus* Abbot. At (e) *Friuoli* of S. *Maxima* Virgin, who adorned with many vertues reſted in our Lord.

a Eugubium

b Antiſiodorum.

c Cenomani

d Trecas

e Forum Iulij.

D *The ſeauenteenth Day.*

AT *Piſa* in *Tuſcany* of S. *Torpes* M
who being an Officer vnto *N*
Emperour, and one of thoſe of who
Paul wryting from *Rome* to the *Philip*
mentioneth, ſaying: All the Saints
you, eſpecially thoſe that are of the
of *Cæſar*: was for the fayth of Chri
commaundement of *Satellicus* cruelly
ted, whipped, and caſt vnto the beaſts
deuoured, by whome being nothing
at laſt beheaded, accompliſhed his M
dome, vpon the 29. Day of *Aprill*, b
feaſt is more ſolemnely kept this day
the tranſlation of his Body. In *Affrica*
Reſtituta Virgin and Martyr, who i
tyme of *Valerian* the Emperour, being
wayes tormented by *Proculus* Iudge, v
laſt put into an old ſhip filled with
& tow, which ſet on fyre, the flame t
of turning vpon thoſe that kindle
ſame, ſhe there in prayer gaue vp her
to God. Her body, togeather with th
ſhip, being miraculouſly brought t
Iland of *Aenaria* neere *Naples*, was
Chriſtians receaued with great reuer
in whoſe honour *Conſtantine* the Grea

a goodly Church to be built in *Naples*. a Nouic
(a) *Noyon* of the holy Martyrs *Heradius*, dunum.
lus, and *Aquilinus*, with two others. At
lcedon of the holy Martyrs *Selochanus* and
fellow ſouldiers, vnder *Maximianus* Em-
our. At *Alexandria* of the holy Martyrs
ianus, *Victor*, and *Baſilla*. At (b) *Wirtzburge* b Herbi
s, *Bruno* Biſhop and Confeſſour. polis.

E *The eighteenth Day.*

N *Aegypt* of S. *Dioſcorus* Lector, who by
the Preſident of that Countrey, being
ſt cruelly tormented, by plucking of his
/les, and ſcorching his ſydes (in ſo much
t the tormentors being tetrifyed by the
ghtnes of an heauenly lyght, fell to the
und) at laſt burned with fiery plates ac-
nplifhed his Martyrdome. At *Camerino*
mbria of S. *Venantius* Martyr, who being
fifteen yeares of age, was vnder *Decius*
Emperour, and *Antiochus* Preſident, to-
ther with ten others beheaded. At *Spole*
f S. *Felix* Biſhop, who vnder *Maximia-*
Emperour, obteyned the palme of Mar-
dome. In *Aegypt* of S. *Potamion* Biſhop,
o being firſt perſecuted vnder *Maximi-*
, was after in the time of *Conſtantius* Em-
our, by *Philagrius* the *Arrian* Preſident,

crow-

crowned with Martyrdome. At *Ancyr*
Galatia of *S. Theodotus* Martyr: alſo of
Saints *Thecuſa* his Aunt, *Alexandria*, Cla
Fama, *Euphraſia*, *Matrona* and *Iulitta* Virg
who being brutiſhly ſent vnto the Ste
by the Preſident, but preſerued from
my by the power of God, hauing ſt
tyed to their neckes, were drowned
lake; whoſe reliques when *Theodotu*
gathered togeather and honourably e
red, being apprehenhed by the ſaid
dent, and moſt cruelly tormented, a
beheaded, receaued the crowne of Ma
dome. At(a) *Opslo* in *Swetia* of S. *Ericus*
and Martyr.

(a) Pſal.

F *The nynetenth Day.*

AT *Rome* of *S. Pudentiana* Virgin,
after ſhe had endured infinite ag
and afflictions in the tyme of perſecu
after ſhe had moſt honourably burie
bodyes of many holy Martyrs, & diſt
ted all her goods to the poore for the
of Chriſt, was at length called to re
her reward in heauen. There alſo of
dens a Senatour father to the ſayd Vi
who baptized by the Apoſtles, preſ
his innocent Garment vnſpotted vnt

crowne of life. Moreouer at *Rome* in the way called *Appia*, the birth-day of the Saints *Processus*, and *Parthenius* Eunuches; of whome the former being chiefe Chamberlaine to the wife of *Decius* the Emperour, and the other also a principall Officer, refusing to sacrifyce vnto Idols, were by the said *Decius* put to death. At *Nicomedia* S. *Philoterus* Martyr, sonne to *Pacianus* the Proconsull, who after many afflictions vnder *Diocletian* the Emperour, receaued the crowne of Martyrdome. There also of the holy Virgins and Martyrs, of whome the chiefest was *Cyriaca*, who freely rebuking *Maximianus* the Tyrant for his impiety, being most cruelly torne with whippes, was finally burned. The same day of Saint *Peter de Morone*, who of an Anchorite being created Pope, and called *Celestine* the fifth, resigned his Dignity, and betooke himself agayne to a contemplatiue life in the wilderneſſe, where renowned for vertues & miracles, he went vnto our Lord. At *Canterbury* of S. *Dunstan* Bishop. In Little *Brittany* of S. *Iues* Priest and Confessor, who for the loue of Christ defended the causes of Orphans, Widdowes, and the Poore.

G *The twentith Day.*

AT *Rome* in the way called *Salari*
birth-day of S. *Basilla* Virgin;
descended of a Royall linage; and
trothed to a most noble Person, for re
his marriage, was by him accused vnto
lienus the Emperour to be a Christian;
whome it was decreed, that eyther
should take him for her husband, or dy
the sword; which when she refused
saying, that she was already espou
the King of Kings, was presently beh
At (a) *Nismes* in *France* of S. *Baudelius* M
tyr, who for refusing to sacrifyce vnto
dols, and persisting constant in the fa
of Christ, after he had byn cruelly whip
and otherwise tormented, by a pret
death obtayned the palme of Martyrdo
At *Edessa* in *Syria* of the holy Martyrs
lalaus, *Asterius*, *Alexander*, and their fellow
who suffered vnder *Numerianus* Empere
In *Thebais* of S. *Aquila* Martyr, who
cruelly torne with iron Combes, for
fayth of Christ. At (b) *Bourges* in *France* o
Austregisilus Bishop & Confessour. At *Br*
of S. *Anastasius* Bishop. At *Pauia* of S. *T*
dorus Bishop. At *Aquila* in (c) *Abbruzzo* o

Ne-
nausus.

b Bituri-
ca.

c In Ve-
tinis.

ardine of *Siena*, of the Order of S. *Fran-*
who by word and worke greatly ador-
Italy. At *Rome* of S. *Plautilla*, a woman
noble Extraction, and mother to Bleſ-
Flauia Domitilla, who baptized by *S. Pe-*
he Apoſtle, and renowned for all kind
ertues, reſted in peace.

A *The one and twentith Day.*

AT *Caſarea* (a) in *Affrica* the birth-day of the holy Martys *Timotheus*, *Polius* & *ycbius* Deacons, who for preaching the ord of God in thoſe partes, deſerued to be wned togeather with Martyrdome. At *ſarea* in *Cappadocia* the birth-day of the ly Martyrs *Polieuctus*, *Victorinus*, and *Dona-*. At *Cordoua* of S. *Secundinus* Martyr. The ne day of the holy Martyrs *Syneſius*, and *copompus*. At *Caſarea Philippi* the birth-day the holy Martyrs *Nicoſtratus* and *Antio-* Tribunes, with diuers other ſouldiers. he ſame day of S. *Valens* Biſhop, who with ree children was put to death for the faith Chriſt. At *Alexandria* the Commemora-on of the holy martyrs *Secundus* Prieſt, and hers, who in the feſtiuall dayes of Pen-coſt vnder *Conſtantius* the Emperour were mmaunded to be cruelly killed by Gorge

(a) Mauritania Cæſarienſis.

the

the Arian Bishop. Also of other h
shops and Priests, who banished
Arrians, deserued to be made partak
glory of Confessours. At (b) *Nissa*,
b Nicet. of S. *Hospitius* Confessour, renow
the vertue of abstinence, and spirit
phecy.

B *The two and twentith D*

AT *Rome* of the holy Martyrs
nus, *Timotheus*, and *Venustus*. I
of the holy Martyrs *Castus*, and *A*
who finished their Martyrdome
fyre. These men (as S. *Cyprian* write
ding in the first assault, for feare of
became Conquerers in the second,
help of our Lord, and euen more
then the fyre it selfe. In *Corsica* of
Virgin, who by the death of the Cr
teyned a crowne of Martyrdome. A
na in *Pontus* of S. *Basiliscus* Martyr, w
der *Maximianus* Emperour, and *Agri*
sident, being compelled to put
shooes, stucke full of hoate fiery
besides the enduring of many oth
ments, at last beheaded, and cast
riuer, purchased a Crowne of Mar
me. In *Spayne* of S. *Quiteria* Virg

tyr. At *Rauenna* of S. *Marcianus* Biſhop Confeſſour. In the Territory of (a) *Au-* a Antiſiodo-
of S. *Romanus* abbot, who ſerued S. *Be-* rum.
n his Caue, and after going into *France*,
ng there erected a Monaſtery, and left
y diſciples, and followers of his ver-
went to reſt in our Lord. At (b) *Aquine* b Aquinum.
. *Fulke* Confeſſour. At *Auxerre* of *S. He-*
Virgin.

The three and twentith Day.

T (a) *Langres* in *France* the paſſion of a Lin-
S. *Deſiderius* Biſhop, who ſeeing his gonæ.
ke vexed by the army of the *Vandalls*,
nt to their King to intreat for them, by
oſe commaundment he was forthwith
ne; and ſo offeringe his lyfe for the
epe committed to his charge, by the dint
ſword went ioyfully vnto our Lord.
ere ſuffered alſo with him many others
is flocke which lye buried in the ſame
ty. In *Spayne* of the holy Martyrs *Epita-*
Biſhop, and *Baſileus*. In *Affrica* of the ho-
artyrs *Quinctianus*, *Lucius*, and *Iulianus*,
o in the perſecution of the *Wandalls*, de-
ed eternall crownes of Martyrdome.
Cappadocia the Commemoration of ma-
holy Martyrs, who in the perſecution of

Maxi-

Maximinus, having their thighes
werekilled. Alſo of many others, w
ſame tyme in *Meſopotamia*, hange
the feete, with their heads downev
fled with ſmoke, & conſumed wit
fyre, accompliſhed their Martyrd
the territory of *Lyons* of S. *Deſideriu*
of *Vienne*, who ſtoned to death,
maundment of King *Theoderic*
crowned a Martyr. At *Synnada* in
S. *Michael* Biſhop. The ſame day o
curialis Biſhop. At *Naples* in *Camp*
Euphebius Biſhop. At *Nurſia*, of t
Eutychius and *Florentius* Monkes, of
S. *Gregory* Pope maketh mention.

D *The foure and twentith*

AT *Antioch* the birth-day of S.
Foſter-brother to *Herod* the
Doctour, and Prophet vnder the
the new Teſtament, who lyeth b
the ſame Citty. Alſo of S. *Ioane*
Chuſas King *Herods* Steward, of w
Luke the Euangeliſt maketh men
Portus Omanis. (a) *Porto* the birth-day of *S. Vincent*
At (b) *Breſcia* of *S. Afra* Martyr, who
Brixia. vnder *Hadrian* the *Emperour*. At (c)
the leſſer Brittany of the bleſſed Mar

Iulianus and *Rogatianus* brothers, who vnder *Diocletian* Emperour, for the confeſſion of their fayth, being firſt caſt into pryſon, then racked vpon the torture *Equuleus*, and afterwards thruſt through with a launce, were laſtly beheaded. In *Iſtria* of the holy Martyrs *Zoellus*, *Seruilius*, *Felix*, *Siluanus* and *Diocles*. The ſame day of the holy Martyrs *Meletius*, a Coronell, togeather with two hundred & fifty two of his ſouldiers, who by diuers kindes of death accompliſhed their Martyrdome. Alſo of the holy Martyrs *Suſanna*, *Marciana*, and *Palladia*, wiues to three of the foreſayd ſouldiers, who with their little children were all broken in peeces. At *Millan* of S. *Robuſtianus* Martyr. In the Monaſtery of *Lyrina* of S. *Vincent* Prieſt, renowned for learning & holynes of life. At *Bolonia* the tranſlation of S. *Dominike* Confeſſour, in the tyme of Pope *Gregory* the ninth.

E *The fiue and twentith Day.*

AT *Rome* in the way called *Numentana* the birth-day of S. *Vrbanus* Pope & Martyr, by whoſe exhortations and doctrine many (amongſt whome were *Tiburtius* and *Valerianus*) receaued the fayth of

England, of S. *Auguſtine* Biſhop, w
ſent thither, togeather with othe
Gregory Pope, preached the G
Chriſt to the Engliſh Nation;
renowned for vertues & miracl
to reſt in our Lord.

The ſeauen and twenti

THe birth-day of S. *Iohn*
Martyr, who by *Theoderic*
King of *Italy* being called to *Ra*
being ſtanding in pryſon, for the
Chriſt, there ended his lyfe. At
in *Moſia* the paſſion of S. *Iulius*, w
byn an ancient ſouldier, and by
nen ouer the warres, was in th
Alexander the Emperour, appreh
the officers, and preſented befo
the Preſident; in whoſe preſenc
the Idolls, and conſtantly pro
Name of Chriſt, receaued the ſe
death. At *Sora* of S. *Reſtituta* V
Martyr, who vnder *Aurelianus*
and *Agathius* Proconſull, in a com
fayth, ouercomming the viole
Deuill, the flattery of the world
cruelty of her Tormentors, was
geather with other Chriſtians b

wned with Martyrdome. In the terri-
ry of (a) *Arras* of *S. Ranulphus* Marty. At
Orange in *France* of *S. Eutropius* Bishop,
nous for vertues and miracles. The same
y the deposition of *Venerable Bede* Priest,
nowned for holynes of lyfe & doctrine.

a Arrebatum
b Arausia.

A *The eight and twentith Day.*

IN *Sardinia* of the holy Martyrs *Aemilius*, *Felix*, *Priamus*, & *Lucianus*, who for the ayth of Christ were crowned with Martyrdome. At (a) *Chartres* in *France* of S. *Cannus* Martyr, who vnder *Domitian* the Emperour, by losse of his head obteyned a crowne of Martyrdome. At *Corinth* of S. *Helconides* Martyr, who being first, vnder *Gordianus* Emperour, and *Peremnius* President, afflicted many wayes, and then againe tormented by *Iustinus* his Succeessor, but deliuered by an Angell; hauing also her breasts cut off, cast vnto the beasts, & tryed by the fyre, was at last beheaded, and so accomplished her Martyrdome. Also the passion of the Saints *Crescens*, *Dioscorides*, *Paulus* nd *Helladius*. At *Thecuis* in *Palestine* of many oly Monkes and Martyrs, who were kil-d by the *Saracens*, in the dayes of *Theodo-s* the *Yonger*; whose sacred Reliques the

a Carnutum.

D *The one and thirtieth Day*

AT *Rome* of S. *Petronilla* Virgin, ... ter to S. *Peter* the Apostle, wh... temning the marriage of *Flaccus* a ... mã, taking three dayes do deliberate ... meane while attending to prayer a... sting, the third day, after she had re... the holy Sacrament of Christs Body ... vp the ghost. At *Aquileia* of the holy ... tyrs *Cantius*, *Cantianus* brothers, and ... *nilla* their syster, who descended of ... ble family of *Anicius*, vnder *Diocleti*... *Maximian* Emperours, for constant ... sion of the Christian fayth, together ... their Scholemayster *Protus* were bel... At(a) *Torre* in *Sardinia* of S. *Crescentian*... tyr. At *Comana* in *Pontus* of S. *Hermia*... dier, who vnder *Antoninus* Empere... ing miraculously deliuered from ma... most cruell torments, conuerted the ... man to Christ, and made him part... the same crowne of Martyrdome, ... himself first obteyned by losse of hi... At *Verona* of S. *Lupicinus* Bishop. At ... S. *Paschasius* Deacon and Confesso... whome S. *Gregory* Pope maketh ... tion.

a Turres.

THE
IONETH
OF IVNE.

E *The firſt Day.*

AT *Rome* of *S. Iuuentius* Martyr. At *Cæſarea* in *Paleſtine* of *S. Pamphilus* Prieſt & Martyr, a man of great holynes and learning, and very liberall to the poore, o in the perſecution of *Maximinus*, being tormented vnder *Vrbanus* Preſident & into pryſon, and afterward againe by *uilianus* afflicted for the fayth of Chriſt, eather with others, accompliſhed his rtyrdome. There ſuffered at the ſame e *Valens* a Deacon, and *Paulus*, with-

nyne

nyne others, whose memoryes are
a Augustodunum. ted vpon other dayes. At (a) *Auſtu*
Saints *Reuerianus* Biſhop & *Paul* Pri
ten others, who vnder *Aurelian* Er
were crowned with Martyrdome.
padocia of S. *Theſpeſius* Martyr, wh
Alexander the Emperour, and *Simpli*
uernour, after other torments was
ded. In *Aegypt* of the holy Martyrs
a Captaine, and of other fiue ſ
who vnder *Diocletian* the Emperor
diuerſly put to death for the fayth o
Moreouer of S. *Firmus* Martyr, wh
perſecution of *Maximianus* being ſor
ped, and ſtoned, was finally behea
Perugia of the holy Martyrs *Felinus*
tinianus Souldiers, who vnder *Deciu*
ſly tormented, by a glorious deat
ued the Crowne of Martyrdome. A
of S. *Proculus* Biſhop and Martyr, w
ſered vnder *Maximianus* Emperour.
b Olim Armenia. *melia* of S. *Secundus* Martyr, who vn
cletian caſt into the Riuer of *Tybur*,

t *Trewers* of S. *Simeon* Monke, who was anonized for a Saint by Pope *Benedict* the 1ynth.

F *The ſecond Day.*

AT *Rome* the birth-day of the holy Martyrs *Marcellinus* Prieſt, and *Peter* Exorciſt, who for inſtructing many in the Chriſtian fayth vnder *Diocletian*, after cruell mpryſonment, and very many torments, were by the commaundment of *Serenus* ludge beheaded, in the place which was hen called S*ylua nigra*; but afterward in ho-iour of the Martyrs, changing the name, vas called S*ylua candida*. Their bodies were uryed in the Caue neere to S. *Tiburtius*, & fterwards Saint *Damaſus* beautifyed their ombe with an *Epitaph* in verſe. In *Campania* of S. *Eraſmus* Biſhop and Martyr, who nder *Diocletian* the Emperour, being firſt eaten with leaden whippes, & then grie-ouſly bruiſed with cudgels, hauing alſo ſine, brimſtone, lead, pitch, waxe, and yle powred vpon him, and nothing hurt ierby, was afterward at (a) *Mola* vnder *Ma-mianus*, againe put to many & moſt cruell ɔrments, but ſtill preſerued by God for the onfirmation of others in their fayth, at

(a) Formia.

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[illegible], with many others, whoſe glorio
often combats, in the tyme of *Marcus*
Antoninus, and *Lucius Verus*, are writt
Letter of the Church of *Lyons*, to the
ches of *Aſia* and *Phrygia*: Amongſt v
S. *Blandina* weaker then the reſt in ſ
dy, and meaneneſſe of condition,
enduted more long and grieuous to
and ſtill remayning conſtant, ſlayn
by the ſword, followed the reſt wh
had incouraged, to the triumphant p
Martyrdome. At *Rome* of S. *Eugeni*
and Confeſſor.

G. *The third Day.*

inus and foure children, *Claudius, Hypatius, aul,* and *Denuis*; of whome *Lucillianus* ha-ng byn an Idolatrous Prieſt, and made Chriſtian, after diuers torments was caſt to a burning fornace togeather with his lowes, which being miraculouſly extin-iſhed by a ſhowre of rayne, they all re-ayned without harme: and laſtly, he be-g nayled to a Croſſe, and the children headed, vnder *Siluanus* Gouernour, ac-mpliſhed their Martyrdome. There alſo S. *Paula* Virgin and Martyr, who for gu-ering vp the bloud of the foreſayd Mar-rs apprehended, whipped, and caſt into e fyre, but miraculouſly deliuered, was laſt alſo beheaded, in the ſame place rhere *Lucillianus* was crucified. At *Cordoua* *Spayne* of S. *Iſaac* Monke, who dyed by he ſword, for the fayth of Chriſt. At *Car-hage* of *S. Cecilius* Prieſt, who conuerted S. *yprian* to the fayth of Chriſt. In the terri-ory of *Orleans* of S. *Liphardus* Prieſt & Con-eſſour. At *Luca* in *Tuſcany* of S. *Dauinus* Confeſſour. At *Paris* of S. *Crotildes* Queene, y whoſe prayers her husband King *Clodo-eus* was conuerted to the fayth of Chriſt, At *Anagnia* of *S. Oliua* Virgin.

A The

A The fourth D

a Siscia. AT Rome of the holy M
and Dacianus. At (a) Sis
of S. Quirinus Bishop, who
President, hauing a milstone
necke, was cast into a riuer,
(as Prudentius writeth) swi
the water, after he had long
Christians, not to be terrified
nishment, nor yet to wauer
by his prayers obseyred, of
might be drowned, therby to
the glory of Martyrdome. At
Clatens Bishop and Martyr, v
b Attrebatum. perour Nero. In Pannonia of th
tyrs Rutilus, and his fellowes.
c Tibur. S. Saturnina Virgin and Marty
of S. Quirinus Martyr. At Const
Metrophanes Bishop, and renow
d Olim Milcius. sour. At (d) Mela in Numidia
Bishop, famous for doctrine a
life. At Verona of S. Alexander B

B The fifth Day

IN Aegypt the birth-day of
tyrs Marcianus, Nicanor,

ers, who in the perſecution of *Maximinus* ›mpliſhed a glorious Martyrdome. At *ıgia* of the holy Martyrs *Florentius*, *Iu-ıs*, *Cyriacus*, *Marcellinus*, and *Fauſtinus*, ɔ in the perſecution of *Decius*, were eaded. At *Ceſarea* in *Paleſtine* the paſſion he Saints *Zenaides*, *Cyrra*, *Valeria*, and *cia*, who by many torments went ioy-y to Martyrdome. At *Tyrus* of S. *Dore-ıs* Prieſt, who ſuffering many afflictions ler *Diocletian*, and liuing vntill the tyme wicked *Iulian*, being an hundred & ſea-ı yeares old, adorned his venerable age th Martyrdome. The ſame day of *S. Bo-ıcius* Biſhop of (a) *Mentz*, who comming t of *England* to *Rome*, and ſent backe into *rmany*, by Pope *Gregory* the ſecond, to ach the fayth of Chriſt to that Nation, er he had conuerted a great number, ſpe-lly thoſe of *Frizeland*, to the Chriſtian ligion, deſerued to be called the Apo-ſ of the *Germans*. And finally being put to ſword by the furious Gentils in *Frize-l*, togeather with *Eobanus*, and other ſer-ıts of God, accompliſhed his Martyr-me. At *Cordona* in *Spayne* of S. *Sancius* a ng man, who though he had byn *rned vp in the* Kings Court, endured *withſtanding* a famous Martyrdome.

(a) Moguntium

for

for the fayth of Christ, in the persi
of the *Arab ians*.

C. *The sixt Day.*

AT *Casarea* in *Palestine*, the hir
of S. *Philip*, one of the first
Deacons, who renowned for vertu
miracles, cõuerted the Countrey of S
to the fayth of Christ, and baptized t
much of *Candaces* Queene of *Æthiopia*;
nally ending his blessed dayes in
lyeth buryed at *Casarea*, neere vnto
of his daughters Prophetesses, for his
daughter, full of the holy Ghost, d
Ephesus. At *Rome* of S. *Artemius* tog
with his wyfe *Candida*, and his da
Paulina, who conuerted vnto Christ
preaching and miracles of Saint *Pe*
Exorcist, and with all his family ba
by S. *Marcellinus* Priest, was by cõm
ment of *Serenus* Iudge, cruelly sco
with leaden whippes, and then beh
But his said Wyfe and Daughter,
thrust into a Caue, were there ouer
med with stones and rubbidge. At
in *Cilicia*, of twenty holy Martyrs, v
the dayes of *Diocletian* and *Maximian*,
Simplicius Iudge, by diuers torments

iod in their bodies. At (a) *Noyon* in *Frãce* holy Martyrs *Amantius*, *Alexander*, and fellowes. At (b) *Fieſoli* in *Tuſcany* of *S.* *der* Biſhop and Martyr. At *Millan* the ition of S. *Euſtorgius* the ſecond, Bi- ınd Confeſſor. At *Verona* of S. *Iohn* Bi- At (c) *Bezanſon* in *France* of *S. Claudius* p. The ſame day of *S. Norbert* Biſhop *deburge*, Founder of the Order called *nſtratenſis*.

a Not dunu
b Fæſi
c Veſt tio-

D *The ſeauenth Day.*

T *Conſtantinople* the birth-day of S. *Paul* Biſhop of the ſame City, who often dryuen thence by the *Arians* : Catholique fayth, and reſtored a- by *S. Iulius* Biſhop of *Rome*, at laſt by *ıtius* the *Arian* Emperour, ſent into mẽt to *Cucuſa*, a little towne in *Cap-*, was there ſtrangled barbarouſly by ıctiſes of the *Arians*, and ſo went vn- Lord. Whoſe body afterward in the ſ *Theodoſius* the Emperour, with great r, was tranſlated to *Conſtantinople*. In- of *S. Licarion* Martyr, who torne with es of iron fiery-hoate, & other moſt orments, at laſt beheaded, accompli- s Martyrdome. At *Cordoua* of the ho-

ly Martyrs *Peter* Priest, *Walabonsus* Deacon, *Sabinianus*, *Wistremundus*, *Habentius*, and *Hieremias* Monkes. In *England* of *S. Robert* Abbot, of the Order Cisterce.

E *The eyght Day.*

quà. AT (a) *Aix* in *France* of *S. Maximinus* the first Bishop of that Citty, who is saye to haue bene the Disciple of our Lord. The same day of S. *Calliopa* Martyr, who hauing her breasts cut off for the fayth of Christ, & seared with a burning iron, roled also vpon sharp potshards, at last beheaded receaued the palme of Martyrdome. At (b) *Soissons* in *France* the birth-day of S. *Medardus* Bishop of (c) *Noyon*, whose holy life and death, are memorable by many renowned miracles. At (d) *Roan* of S. *Gildardus* Bishop, brother to the forsaid *Medardus*, who both borne vpon on day, and vpon one day ordayned Bishops, being also vpon one and the selfe same day taken out of this lyfe, went togeather to heauen. At (e) *Sens* of *S. Heraclius* Bishop. At (f) *Metz* in *Loraine* of S. *Clodulphus* Bishop. In (g) *Marc-Ancona* of S. *Seuerinus* Bishop of (h) *Septempeda*. In *Sardinia* of S. *Sallustianus* Confessour. At *Camerino* of S. *Victorinus* Confessour.

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F *The nynth Day.*

T *Rome*, in *Monte Celio*, the birth-
day of the holy Martyrs *Primus* and
cianus, vnder *Diocletian* and *Maximian*
perours, who hauing liued long toge-
in our Lord, and diuers tymes, both
eather & seuerally, endured most cruell
exquisite torments, at last by sentence
remotus President of *Nomento*, being be-
led, accomplished the course of their
py Combat. At (a) *Agen* in *France* the
ion of *S. Vincent* Deacon and Martyr.
ntioch of S. *Pelagia* Virgin and Martyr,
ose prayses *S. Ambrose*, and S. *Chrysostome*
e left written. At (b) *Syracuse* of S. *Ma-*
enus Bishop, of whome S. *Gregory* Pope
eth often mention. In *Scotland* of S. *Co-*
a Priest and Confessour. At *Edessa* in
s of S. *Iulian* Monke, whose worthy
les S. *Ephrem* Deacon hath left written.

a Agen num.

b Syra sa.

G *The tenth Day.*

T *Rome* in the way called *Salaria*, the
passion of *S. Getulius* a Noble, and
ned man, and of his fellowes *Cerealis*,
ntius, and *Primitiuus*, who by com-

maundmẽt of *Hadrian* the Emperour, being apprehended by *Licinius* that had byn Conſull, firſt cruelly beaten, then caſt into pryſon, and laſtly deliuered vp to the fyre, but receauing no hurt thereby, hauing their heads all bruiſed with cudgels, accompliſhed their Martyrdome. Whoſe bodies *Syphoroſa* the wyfe to *S. Getulius* gathering together, buryed honourably in a place belonging to her Mannour. At *Rome* in the way called *Aurelia*, the birth-day of *S. Baſilides, Tripodes, Mandales*, and twenty other Martyrs, vnder *Aurelianus* Emperour, and *Plato* Gouernour of the Citty. At *Nicomedi* of *S. Zacharias* Martyr. At *Pruſias* in *Bithynia* of S. *Timothy* Biſhop and Martyr, vnder *Iulian* the Apoſtata. In *Spayne* of the holy martyrs *Criſpulus* and *Reſtitutus*. In *Affri* of the holy martyrs *Areſius, Rogatus*, and fifteene others. At *Cullen* of *S. Maurinus* Abbot and Martyr. At *Petra* in *Arabia* of *S. Aſterius* Biſhop, who being greatly vexed by the *Arians* for the Catholique fayth, and baniſhed by *Conſtantius* the Emperour into *Africa*, there dyed a glorious Confeſſour.

Antidotum. (a) *Auxerre* of S. *Cenſurius* Biſhop. In Scotland of S. *Margaret* Queene, renowned for her Charity to the poore, and voluntary Pouerty.

A *The eleauenth Day.*

THE birth-day of S. *Barnaby* Apoſtle, who borne in *Cyprus*, and ordayned poſtle of the Gentils togeather with S. *l*, trauelled with him into many Pro-ces, exerciſing the function of preaching Ghoſpell committed to his charge; and ly going into *Cyprus*, by a glorious Mar-lome, there adorned his Apoſtleſhip. oſe body (himſelf reuealing the ſame) s found in the tyme of *Zeno* the Empe-r, togeather with S. *Matthewes* Goſpell itten with his owne hand. At *Aquileia*, paſſion of the Saints *Felix*, and *Fortuna-* Brothers, who in the perſecution of *cletian* & *Maximiã*, after they had byn rac-vpon the torture *Equuleus*, and burning ches put vnto their ſydes, (which by ine power were forthwith extingui-d) and laſtly after boyling oyle powred on their bellyes, perſeuering conſtant in confeſſion of their fayth, were behea-l. At *Bolonia* of S. *Pariſius* Confeſſour, d Monke of the Order of (a) *Camaldoli.* a Cæ-dulu
Rome the tranſlation of S. *Gregory Na-nzen*, whoſe holy Body hauing byn ought *from Conſtantinople* to Rome, & there

kept a long tyme in the Church of
Lady in *Campo-Martio*, was by Pope G
the thirtenth with great solemnity tr
ted to the Church of S. *Peter*, and
placed vnder the Alter, in a Chappel
for that purpose he had most sumptu
adorned.

B. *The twelfth Day.*

AT *Rome* in they way called *Aur*
birth-day of the holy Martyrs
des, *Cyrinus*, *Nabor*, and *Nazarius* Soul
who in the persecution of *Diocletian*
ximian, vnder *Aurelius* Gouernour, f
confession of Christ being cast into
and then torne with whippes called
pions, were at last beheaded. At *Nic*
thynia of S. *Antonina* Martyr, who
same persecution, by commaund
of *Priscillanus* President, being sore
with cudgels, racked vpō the torture
lous, her sydes torne and scorched wi
was finally beheaded. In *Thracia* of
lympius Bishop, who expelled out of
shopricke by the *Arians*, dyed a Conf
In *Cilicia* of S. *Amphion* Bishop & r
ned Confessour, in the tyme of *Ma*
Emperour. In *Aegypt* of S. *Onuphrius* A

set, who lead a ſolitary lyfe in the deſert threeſcore yeares togeather, and famous for vertues and miracles reſted in our Lord: whoſe memorable acts are written by *Paphnutius* Abbot.

C *The thirteenth Day.*

AT *Padua* of S. *Anthony* Confeſſour, borne in *Portugall*, of the Order of S. *Francis*, famous for preaching, holynes of lyfe, and miracles. At *Rome* in the way called *Ardeatina*, the birth-day of S. *Felicula* Virgin and Martyr, who refuſing either to marry, or to ſacrifice vnto Idols, was conuented before the Iudge, who ſeeing her remayne conſtant in the confeſſion of Chriſt, after ſhe had endured a darke and moſt loathſome impryſonement, being almoſt ſtarued with famine, cauſed her to be ſo long racked vpon the torture *Equuleus*, vntil ſhe gaue vp the ghoſt. Herbody being throwne into a Priuy, was by *S. Nicomedes* taken out, and buryed in the ſame way. In *Affrica* of the holy Martyrs *Fortunatus*, and *Lucianus*. At *Biblus* in *Paleſtine* of S. *Aquilina* Virgin and Martyr, who being but twelue yeares of age, was vnder *Diocletian* the Emperour, and *Volufianus* Iudge, for the Con-

fession of her fayth, first buffeted, the
ped, and hoat burning bodkins thru
In Pe- her body, at last beheaded consecra
gnis. virginity to God by Martyrdome.
Abbruzzo of S. *Peregrinus* Bishop & M
Olim who by the *Lombardes* was drowned
ternū. riuer of (b) *Pescara*. At *Cordoua* of S. F
Priest and Monke, who in the perse
of the *Arabians*, being beheaded for th
of Christ obtayned Martyrdome. In
of S. *Trypnillius* Bishop.

D *The fourteenth Day.*

AT *Cæsarea* in *Cappadocia* the Ord
of S. *Basil* Bishop, who in the t
Valens the Emperour, famous for do
and wisdome, and all vertues, grea
dorned the Church of God; and wi
uincible constācy defēded the same a
the *Arian* & *Macedonian* Heretikes. At
ria in *Palestine* of S. *Elizeus* Prophet at
sepulcher (as S. *Hierom* wryteth) the I
tremble: where also lyeth buryed th
yracu- phet *Abdias*. At (a) *Syracosa* of S. *Ma*
Bishop, who ordayned by S. *Peter*
stle after he had laudably preached th
Suessi- pell, was killed by the Iewes. At (b
cs. *sons* of the holy Martyrs *Valerius* and

, who in the persecution of *Diocletian* af-
many torments by the commaundment
Rictionarus President were beheaded. At
loua of the holy martyrs *Anastasius* Priest,
c monke, and *Digna* Virgin. At *Constan-*
le of S. *Methodius* Bishop. At *Vienna* of
etherius Bishop. At (c) *Rodes* in *France* of
uinctianus Bishop.

c Ruta-
num.

E *The fifteenth Day.*

[(a) *Lucania* at the riuer *Silar*, the birth-
ay of the holy Martyrs *Vitus*, *Modestus*,
Crescentia, vnder *Diocletian* the Empe-
, who being brought thither out of
r, after they had endured hoat boyling
, and by the power of God ouercome
beasts, and other cruell torments, ended
course of their glorious combat. At *Do-*
rum in *Misia* of S. *Hesychius* a Souldier,
being apprehended with S. *Iulius*, was
tle after him, vnder *Maximus* President,
vned with Martyrdome. At *Cordona* in
ne of S. *Benildes* Martyr. At *Zephyrus* in
ia of S. *Dulas* Martyr, who vnder *Maxi-*
President, for the name of Christ, being
whipped, the layd on a fiery gridiron,
asted with boyling oyle, and other-
es tormented, at last obtayned the

a hodie
Calabr

palme

palme of Martyrdome. At *Palmyra* i
of the holy Martyrs *Libya* and *Leoni*
stets, and *Eutropia* a girle of twelue
old, who being diuersly tormented
ued the crowne of Martyrdome. A
cene the deposition of S. *Landeline*
At (b) *Auuergne* of S. *Abraham* Confes
nowned for holynes of life and mira

b Aruernum.

F *The sixtenth Day.*

a Vesontio.

AT (a) *Bezanson* in *France* of t
Martyrs *Ferreolus* Priest, and
ou Deacon, who being sent by Sa
naus Bishop of *Lyons*, to preach th
of God, were by *Claudius* the Iudg
many torments endured, at last be
At *Tharsus* in *Cilicia*, of the holy
Quiricus, and *Iulitta* his mother, vn
clotian Emperour, of whome *Quiricu*
but a child of three yeares old, an
his mother cruelly beaten in pres
Alexander the President, pitifully

ſiſter, and other Martyrs, who being in Church at Maſſe, were killed by the *mes*, in their incurſion of *Germany*. At (c) *ithuſia* in *Cyprus* of S. *Tychon* Biſhop, in tyme of *Theodoſius* the yonger. At *Lyon* depoſition of S. *Aurelianus* Biſhop of (d) *s*. At (e) *Nanes* in little *Brittany* of S. *Si-anus* Biſhop and Confeſſor. At (f) *Mieſen* *Saxony* of S. *Benno* Biſhop. In *Brabant* of *Luigardes* Virgin.

c Olim Amathi ta.
d Arel tum.
e Nine tes
f Miſn

G *The ſeauentanth Day.*

AT *Rome* the birth-day of two hundred, threeſcore, and two Martyrs, o in the perſecution of *Dioclatian* were to death for the fayth of Chriſt, & bu-l in the old way of *Salaria*, at the foote the hill *Cucumer*. At *Terracina* of S. *Mon-us* a Souldier, who vnder *Hadrian* the perour, and *Leontius* Conſull, after ma-tormented, receaued the crowne of Mar-dome. At *Veneſti* of the holy Martyrs *ander* and *Marcianus*, who in the perſecu-n of *Maximian* were beheaded. At *Chalce-* of the holy Martyrs *Manuel*, *Sabel*, and *ael*, who being ſent to *Julian* the Apo-ta, as Legats from the King of *Perſia*, to ate of peace, and conſtantly refuſing to

worſhip

worſhip the Idols, as the Emperour c
maunded, were beheaded. At *Apollonia*
Macedonia of the holy Martyrs *Iſaurus* B
con, *Innocentius*, *Felix*, *Ieremy*, and *Peregr*
Athenians by birth, who by *Tripontius*
Tribune put to diuers kind of torme
were laſtly beheaded. At (a) *Himeria* in
bria of S. *Himerius* Biſhop, whoſe body
tranſlated to *Cremona*. In the Territor
(b) *Bourges* of *S. Gundulphus* Biſhop. A
leans of S. *Auitus* Prieſt and Confeſſor
Phrigia of S. *Hipatius* Confeſſor. Alſo
Beſſarion Anchoret. At *Piſa* in *Tuſcany*
Raynerius Confeſſor.

A *The eighteenth Day.*

AT *Rome* in the way called *Arde*
the birth-day of the holy Ma
Marcus and *Marcellianus* brothers, wh
the perſecution of *Diocletian* being ap
hended by *Fabianus* Iudge, and boun
poſt, had ſharpe nayles thruſt into
feete; and when they ceaſed not, ſt
prayſe the name of Chriſt, hauing the
des pierced with launces, they went t
Kingdome of heauen, with the glo
Martyrdome. At *Malaga* in *Spayne* of th
ly Martyrs *Cyriacus*, and *Paula* virgin,

ing ſtoned to death, rendred vp their ules to God. At *Tripoli* in *Phœnicia* of *S. ontius* a Souldier, who vnder *Hadrianus* eſident, togeather with *Hipatius* a Tri- une, and *Theodulus*, whome he had con- rted vnto Chriſt, by many bitter tor- ents, attayned the crowne of Martyrdo- e. The ſame day of S. *Aetherius* Martyr, ho in the perſecution of *Diocletian* hauing dured fyre, & many other torments, was beheaded. At *Alexandria* the paſſion of S. *arina* virgin. At *Burdeaux* of *S. Amandus* Bi- op and Confeſſour. At (a) *Scenaw* of S. *izabeth* Virgin, famous for obſeruance of onaſticall diſcipline.

a Sco- naugia

B *The nyneteenth Day.*

AT *Millan* of the holy Martyrs *Geruaſius* and *Protaſius* brothers, of whome he former, by commaundment of *Aſtaſius* udge, was ſo long beaten with leaden hippes vntill he gaue vp the Ghoſt. The ther being all bruiſed with cudgels, was laſt beheaded. Their bodies by reuela- on were found by *S. Ambroſe* all beſprink- d with bloud, and as freſh, as if they had ene martyred the ſame day. At whoſe *anſlatiõ a blind* man touching their Coſ-

fin,

fin, recouered his ſight, and ma
with euill ſpirits were deliuered.
na of S. *Vrſicinus* Martyr, who vn
nus Iudge, after many torments c
endured for the confeſſion of his f
ing beheaded, accompliſhed his
dome. At *Sozopolis* of S. *Zoſimus*
who in the perſecution of *Traian*, v
mitianus Preſident, after many bi
ments beheaded, went triumphāt
Lord. At (a) *Arezzo* in *Tuſcany*, of
Are-
m. Martyrs *Gaudentius* Biſhop, and
Deacon, who in the tyme of *V*
were ſlayne by fury of the Gen
ſame day of *S. Bonifacius* Martyr, Di
S. *Romualdus*, who being ſent into
the Biſhop of *Rome*, to preach the
of Chriſt, after he had paſſed thro
without harme, and baptized both
many of his people, being ſlaine
Kings furious Brother, receaued th
ne of Martyrdome. At *Rauenna* of S.
dus Anchoret, Founder of the Mon
led *Camaldulenſes*, who reſtored the
tiall diſcipline much decayed in I
greatly dilated the ſame.

C *The twentith Day.*

s birth-day of S. *Silverius* Pope and
artyr, who refuſing to reſtore *Anthi-*
Hereticall Biſhop, depoſed by his
ſſor *Agapitus*, was at the inſtigation
vicked *Theodora* Empreſſe, baniſhed
Iland of *Pontia* by *Belliſarius*, where
way, through miſeries ſuſtayned
Catholique fayth, departed this lyfe.
the depoſition of S. *Nonatus* Sonne
ed *Paulus* the Senatour, and Brother
mothy Prieſt, & to the holy Virgins
ma and *Praxedes*, who were all in-
l in the Chriſtian fayth by the Apo-
id their Howſe being afterward cō-
into a Church, was called by the
Paſtor. At *Tomis* in *Pontus* of the holy
s *Paulus* and *Cyriacus*. At *Petra* in *Pa-*
f S. *Macarius* Biſhop, who hauing
l many afflictions by the *Arians*, and
d into *Affrica*, there reſted in our
At *Seuill* in *Spayne* of S. *Florentia* Vir-
ter to the Saints *Leander*, and *Iſidore*
s.

D *The one and twen*

AT *Rome* of S. *Demetria* was crowned with Ma
Syra- der *Iulian* the Apoſtata. At
ſia. *Sicily*, the birth-day of the *Rufinus* and *Martia*. In *Affric*.
Mogũ- Martyrs *Cyriacus*, and *Apoll*
tia. *Mentz* of *S. Alban* Martyr, wh labors and conflicts ſuſtayne of Chriſt, was made worthy t lyfe. The ſame day of *S. Euſe Samoſata*, who in the tyme the *Arian* Emperor, diſguyſed weed, viſited the flocke com charge, and confirmed them i lique fayth; but afterwards v being baniſhed into *Thracia*, v ſecution ceaſed in the tyme he returned home to his Bi as he was one day viſiting ag ceſſe, hauing his head broken which an *Arian* woman let f
Novv lled ogne. from a window, finally dyed (c) *Iconium* in *Licaonia* of S. *Ter* and Martyr. At *Pauia* of *S. Vr* and Confeſſour. At *Tungres* of
'brot- *ſhop.* In the Territory of (d)
Luſfridus Abbot.

E *The two and twentith Day.*

AT *Nola* in *Campania* the birth-day of S. *Paulinus* Biſhop and Confeſſour, ho of a moſt Noble, and Rich man, be- ne poore and humble for Chriſt, yea, & ich more is, ſould himſelf, to redeeme a ddows ſonne, whome the *Wandals*, ha- g waſted *Campania*, had led captiue in- *Affrica*. He was famous, not only for rning, and holynes of lyfe, but alſo for power ouer Deuils; whoſe great pray- S. *Ambroſe*, S. *Hierome*, S. *Auguſtine*, and S. gory haue left written. His body being nſlated to *Rome*, is kept with great ho- ur in the Church of S. *Bartholomew* in the nd of *Tybur*, togeather with the body of ſame Apoſtle. In the Mount *Ararath*, the ſſion of ten thouſand holy Martyrs there cifyed. At(a) *Verolame* in *England* of S. *Alban* rtyr, who in the tyme of *Dioclesian*, deli- ing himſelfe to the Perſecutors, for the ing a of Prieſt whome he had lodged in houſe, after many torments was behea- There ſuffered with him one of the ldiers, which lead him to the place of cution, who by the way being conuer- rato Chriſt, deſerued to be baptized in

(a) No colle Alb

uen, by S. *Paulinus* Biſhop of *Nol*
monaſtery of *Cluny*, of S. *Conſortia*

F *The three and twentith d*

THE Vigil of S. *Iohn* Baptiſt.
of S. *Iohn* Prieſt, who vnder
Apoſtata was beheaded, in the w
Salaria, before the Idoll of the *Sun*
ryed by S. *Concordius* Prieſt, neer
bodyes of other Martyrs. At *Rome*
Agrippina Virgin and Martyr, vn
rianus Emperour, whoſe body be
ſtated into *Sicily*, is there honou
many miracles. At (a) *Satri* in *Tuſ*
Felix Prieſt, whoſe mouth by con

a Sutrium.

Martyrdome for the name of Christ. At *Philadelphia* in *Arabia*, of the holy Martyrs *Zenas*, and *Zenas* his seruant, who kissing the chaines of his Mayster in pryson, & beseeching him to accept of him for a partener of his torments, apprehended by the soulders, receaued with his mayster the Crowne of Martyrdome. In *England* of S. (b) *Audry* Queene, and virgin, who renowned for sanctimony of life and miracles, went to our Lord: whose body eleauen yeares after her death was found vncorrupt.

b Edi-trudes.

G *The foure and twentith Day.*

THE Natiuity of S. *Iohn* Baptist Precursour of our Lord, Sonne to *Zacharias* and *Elizabeth*; who being yet in his mothers wombe, was filled with the holy Ghost. At *Astur* the commemoration of many holy Martyrs, who vnder *Nero* the Emperour being falsely accused for burning the Citty, were by his commaundment put to diuers kindes of death; of whome some put in beasts skinnes were cast to be torne of dogges, others were crucifyed, & others burned to serue, as it were, for lightes in the night. All these were Disciples of the Apostles, and the first fruites of Martyrs,

which the Church of *Rome*, [illegible]
fertile in that kind, sent vnto our Lo
fore the death of the said Apostles.
also of the holy Martyrs *Faustus*, and
and twenty others. At *Satalis* in *Arm*
seauen Brothers Martyrs, *Orantius*
roes, *Pharnacius*, *Firminus*, *Firmus*, *Cyn*
Longinus souldiers, who for that the
Christians, being by *Maximianus* I
rour, first deprived of their military
cture, and then separated from ech
were carryed into diuers remote
where in great misery and afflictio
ended the rest of their dayes. At *Cr*
in the Territory of *Paris*, the passion
holy Martyrs *Agoardus* and *Aghbertus*
innumerable others both men & w
At (a) *Austum* the deposition of S. *Si*
Bishop and Confessor. At (b) *Lob* of S
dulphus Bishop. At *Stylo* in *Calabria* of
surnamed *Therestus*, greatly renown
sanctity of life.

a Augustodunum:
b Laubium.

A *The fiue and twentith Day*

AT *Beroea* the birth-day of *S.* [illegible]
disciple to *S. Paul*. At *Rome* of
Virgin and Martyr, with two and t
others. At *Alexandria* of S. Gallicanus [illegible]

es Conſull of *Rome*, who hauing
oured with glorious tryumphes,
: to *Conſtantine* the Emperour, be-
ierted to the Chriſtian fayth by
s *Iohn* and *Paul*, retyred himſelf to
e riuer mouth of *Tybur*, where to-
/ith S. *Hilarinus*, he gaue himſelf
) Hoſpitality, and ſeruing of the
he fame whereof being ſpread
:he world, drew many thither
)arts, to ſee a man that had bene
ınd Conſul, waſhing the feete of
:, couering their table, powring
ı their hands, carefullly ſeruing
and exercyſing other workes of
ıt being dryuen thence by *Iulian*
:ata, he went to *Alexandria*, where
nus Iudge, being vrged to ſacrifi-
dols, and contemning his com-
:nt, by the loſſe of his head, was
artyr of Chriſt. At *Sibapolis* in *Sy-*
'ebronia Virgin and Martyr, who
ſecution of *Diocletian*, vnder *Lyſi-*
eſident, for defence of her fayth &
)eing firſt whipped, and then rac-
the torture *Equuleus*, torne with
)es, and tormented by fyre; ha-
her teeth ſtroken out, and breaſts
laſt being beheaded, & adorned

a Veſontio. with ſo many iewels of Martyrdome ioyfully to her Spouſe. At (a) *Bez* *France* of S. *Antidius* Biſhop and M

b Athegium. who was ſlayne by the Vandalls, ſayth of Chriſt. At (b) *Rieux* of S. Pr *Aquitane*, Biſhop of the ſame Citty, r ned for doctrine, and piety; who defended the Catholique fayth aga

c Taurinum. *Pelagians*. At (c) *Turino* the birth-d *Maximus* Biſhop and Confeſſor, fam learning and holines. In *Holland* of *bert* Confeſſor, diſciple to S. *Willebr* ſhop. In the Territory of *Guletta*

d Nuſcum. (d) *Noſca*, of S. *William* Confeſſour, f of the Hermits of *Mount-Virgin*.

B *The ſix and twentith Da*

AT *Rome*, in *Monte Celio*, of t Martyrs *Iohn* and *Paul* Brot whome the former being Steward ther chiefe Secretary to *Conſtantia* daughter to *Conſtantine* the Empero vnder *Iulian* the Apoſtata, both b and ſo obteyned the triumphant Martyrdome. At *Trent* of S. *Vigilius* who whilſt he endeauoured to r the reliques of *Idolatry*, ſtoned to *the barbarous people*, for the

rist, accomplished his Martyrdome. At
loua in *Spayne*, the birth-day of S. *Pela-*
a youth, who by commaundment of
ramenus King of the *Saracens*, being
ed in peeces with tongues of iron, ac-
plished a glorious Martyrdome. At (a)
ncene the passion of the Saints *Saluius*
hop of *Angolesme*, and *Superius* Martyrs.
the Festiuity of S. *Anthelmus* Bishop of
Bellay. At (c) *Poitiers* of S. *Maxentius* Priest
Confessor, famous for miracles. At *Thessa-*
a of S. *Dauid* Hermit. The same day of
erseueranda Virgin.

a Valencenæ.

b Bellica.

c Pictauium.

C *The seauen and twentith Day.*

[*Galatia* of S. *Crescens* disciple to S.
aul the Apostle, who making a iourny
France, did by his preaching conuert
y there to the fayth of Christ; but af-
ard returning backe and ordayned Bi-
of the *Galathians*, when he had confir-
that people, in the seruice of our Lord
to the end of his lyfe, at last vnder
n accomplished his Martyrdome. At
ua of the holy Martyrs *Zoilus* & nyne-
e others. At *Cæsarea* in *Palestine* of S.
us Martyr, who in the persecution of
latian vnder *Urbanus* President, for ex-

horting others to Martyrdome; h
ouerthrowne certaine Idols by ve
his prayers, was commaunded to be
ped by ten ſouldiers; and afterward l
his hands and feete cut off, at laſt be
receaued the crowne of Martyrdo
Conſtantinople of S. *Sampſon* Prieſt, a
harbourer of the poore. In the terri
a Turo- (d) *Tours* of S. *Iohn* Prieſt and Confeſ
nes. *Varadin* in *Hungary* of S. *Ladiſlaus* Kin
is greatly renowned with miracle
yntill this day.

D *The eight and twentith D*

THE Vigil of the holy Apoſtles
ter and *Paul*. At *Rome* of *S. Le*
the ſecond of that name. At *Lyons* in
of S. *Ireneus* Biſhop and Martyr, wh
Hierome wryteth, being diſciple to S
carpe Biſhop of *Smirna*, and liuing ne
tyme of the Apoſtles, after he had v
Ivreſiſted the Heretiques both by w

a new made Chriſtian, and of another
renus; of *Rhades* alſo a Catechumen, of
tamiana, and *Marcella* her mother; amongſt
home, the moſt famous was *Potamiana*
rgin, who hauing firſt endured many &
ieuous conflicts, for the defence of her
ginity, and afterward put vnto moſt
quiſite torments, and ſuch as neuer had
ie heard of, for the Chriſtian fayth, was
lly togeather with her mother, confu-
d by fyre. The ſame day of S. *Papus*
rtyr, who in the perſecution of *Diocle-*
n being ſore whipped, and caſt into a
drone of boyling oyle, and tallow, af-
other moſt horrible torments endured,
s at laſt beheaded. At (a) *Maeſtricht* of S. a Trit
ignus Biſhop and Martyr. At *Cordoua* of
Argymirus Monke and Martyr, who in
: perſecution of the *Arabians*, was ſlayne
the fayth of Chriſt. At *Rome* of S. *Paul*
pe and Confeſſor.

E *The nyne and twentith Day.*

AT *Rome* the birth-day of the holy A-
poſtles S. *Peter* and *Paul*, who in the
ne yeare, and ſame day ſuffered Martyr-
me vnder *Nero* the Emperour; of whome
Peter being crucifyed, with his head
downe-

[illegible]
ryed in the *Vatican*, neere to the Try
phall Street, where his body is hono
of the whole world: But S. *Paul* h
beheaded, and buryed in the high wa
Ostia, is there also visited with lyke hon
In the Castle of *Argentomachum*, of S. *M*
lus Martyr, who togeather with *Ang*
a Souldier, was beheaded for the fay
Christ. At *Genua* the birth-day of S.
Bishop. At *Narni* of S. *Cassius* Bishop o
same Citty, of whome S. *Gregory* m
teth, that scarse any day of his lyfe pa
in which he did not offer the holy sac
of the Altar, to Allmighty God. An
lyfe agreed well therwith, for giuin
he had to the poore, in the tyme o
Masse he vsed to be wholy dissolued
teares. And at last vpon this day, on w
euery yeare he was accustomed to com
Rome, hauing sayd masse, and giuen the
dy of our Lord, and his benediction to
ry one present, he went forthwith t
our Lord. In *Cyprus* of S. *Mary* Mother o
John, surnamed *Marcus*. In the territor
(4) Sons of S. *Benedicta* Virgin.

a Senones.

F *The thirtith Day.*

E Cõmemoration of S. *Paul* the A-
ſtle. At (a) *Limoges* in *France* of S. at
Biſhop, with two Prieſts *Alpinianus* uic
Triclinianus, whoſe lyfe was very re-
d in power of miracles. The ſame
the Saints *Caius* Prieſt, and *Leo* Sub-
. At *Alexandria* the paſſion of S. *Baſi-*
der *Seuerus* Emperour, who for de-
g S. *Potamiena* Virgin, from the wan-
ſe of vnchaſt perſons, whilſt he lead
execution, deſerued to receaue by
e reward of that religious deed. For
dayes after ſhe appearing vnto him,
tting a Crowne vpon his head, did
ly conuert him to Chriſt, but after a
ombat, by her prayers, made him a
us Martyr. At *Rome* of S. *Lucina* diſ-
f the Apoſtles, who with her goods,
ng the neceſſityes of the Saints, viſi-
e Chriſtians that were in pryſon, &
g of Martyrs, reſted in our Lord, &
buryed in a Caue neere vnto the
ſartyrs, which her ſelfe had built.
alſo of S. *Aemiliana* Martyr. In the
ry of *Viuiers* of S. *Oſtianus* Prieſt and
ſſor.

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THE MONETH OF IVLY.

G *The first Day.*

THE Octaue of Saint *Iohn Baptist.* In the montaine of *Hor*, the depoſition of S. *Aaron* the firſt Prieſt of the *Leuiticall* Order. In *England* of the holy Martyrs *Iulius* & *Aaron*, who ſuffered a little after S. *Alban* in the perſecution of *Diocletian*. At which tyme very many alſo in that Iland, ſuffering diuers and moſt cruell torments, by accõpliſhing their agonyes, arriued to the ioyes of heauen. At *Machelin*; the paſſion of S. *Rumoldus* Martyr, ſonne to the King of Scotland, and Bi-

of *Dublin*. At (a) *Sinueſſa*, of the holy yrs *Caſtus* and *Secundinus* Biſhops. At a of S. *Martin* Biſhop, diſciple of the tles. At *Auuergne* of S. *Gallus* Biſhop. e territory of *Lyons* the depoſition of *mitianus* Abbot, who there firſt lead an iiticall lyfe, but afterward gathering ither many ſeruants of God in that e, renowned for vertues, miracles, and rable olde age, went to reſt in our l. In the territory of *Rhemes* of S. *Theo-us* Prieſt, Diſciple to S. *Benignus* Biſhop. *ngoleſme* of *S. Eparchius* Abbot. At *Emeſa Simeon* Confeſſor ſurnamed *Salus*, who g made an Idiot for Chriſt, God mani-d his high wiſdome, by many great icles.

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A *The ſecond Day.*

THE Viſitation of the Bleſſed Virgin *Mary*, when ſhe went to *S. Elizabeth*. At e in the way called *Aurelia*, the birth-of the holy Martyrs *Proceſſus* and *Marti-us*, who baptized by S. *Peter* the Apo-in the priſon called *Mamertin*, after they endured the bruizing of their mouthes, Racke, and torture *Equuleus*, beating b *cudgells*, burning with fyre, and pitch

other moſt cruell torments, vnder Nero the Emperour at laſt beheaded, were crowned with Martyrdome. At *Rome* the paſſion of three holy Souldiers, who being conuerted to Chriſt by the Martyrdome of S. Paul the Apoſtle, were togeather with him made partakers of heauenly glory. The ſame day of the holy Martyrs *Ariſto*, *Crescentianus*, *Eutychianus*, *Vrbanus*, *Vitalis*, *Iuſtus*, *Felicissimus*, *Felix*, *Marcia*, and *Symphorosa*, who in the raging perſecution of *Dioclesian* the Emperour, were in *Campania* crowned with Martyrdome. At *Winchester* in *England* of S. *Swithin* Biſhop, renowned for holines of life, and grace of miracles. At *Bamberge* of S. *Otho* Biſhop, who preaching the Ghoſpell to the people of *Pomerania*, conuerted them to the fayth. At (a) *Tours* the depoſition of S. *Monegundes*, a deuout religious woman.

B *The third Day.*

AT *Alexandria* of the holy Martyrs *Typhon*, and twelue others. At *Conſtantinople* of the holy Martyrs *Eulogius*, and his fellowes. At *Cæſarea* in *Cappadocia* of S. *Hiacinthus* Chamberlayne vnto *Traian* the Emperour, who accuſed for being a Chriſtian,

and

ſorely whipped, was caſt into pryſon, there conſumed with hunger and ſa- a Clu-
te, gaue vp the Ghoſt. At (a) *Chiuſi* in ſiu
cany, of the holy Martyrs *Irenæus* Dea-
, and *Miſtiola* a graue Matrone, who
ler *Aurelian* Emperour, enduring ſundry
cruell torments, deſerued the crowne
Martyrdome. The ſame day of the holy
rtyrs *Marcus* and *Marianus*, who for the
ſeſſion of Chriſt were beheaded, to-
ther with a little childe, who with a
ide voyce hauing admoniſhed them not
ſacrifyce vnto Idols, was for that cauſe
mmaunded to be whipped; but he more
neſtly then before confeſſing Chriſt, to-
ther with another called *Paulus*, who in
e manner had encouraged the ſaid Mar-
rs, was put to death. At *Laodicea* in *Syria*
S. *Anatolius* Biſhop, whoſe writings
re admyred not only of Religious per-
ns, but euen of Philoſophers. At (b) *Alti-* b Alti-
of S. *Heliodorus* Biſhop, famous for his num.
rning and holynes. At *Rauenna* of S. *Da-*
s Biſhop & Confeſſour. At *Edeſſa* in *Me-*
ſopotamia the tranſlation of S. *Thomas* the A-
ſtle out of *India*, whoſe reliques were af-
ward brought to *Ortona* in *Apulia*.

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whoſe ſacred Head was afterwar
to *Seuill* in *Spayne*. At *Sirmium* of
Martyrs *Innocentius*, and *Sebaſtia*, w
others. At *Madura* in *Affrica* of S.
nion Martyr, with diuers others, w
encouraged to the obtayning to
dome. At *Cyrene* in *Libya* of S. *Theo*
ſhop & Cõfeſſour, who in the per
Diocletian vnder *Dignianus* Preſiden
byn ſore ſcourged with leaden w
his tongue cut out, went at laſt
our Lord. The ſame day the feſtiu
Flauianus the ſecond Biſhop of *An*
of *Elias* Biſhop of *Hieruſalem*, wh
fence of the holy Councell of
being ſent into baniſhment by

d Confeſſour; and the dedication there
his Church: Vpon which day alſo ſome
ires before, he had byn ordayned Bi-
op.

D. *The fifth Day.*

AT *Rome* of S. *Zoa* Martyr, wyfe to *S. Nicoſtratus* alſo a Martyr, who paying
. *Peters* body, vnder *Diocletian* Empe-
r being apprehended by the perſecu-
s, and caſt into a darke, and filthy
ſon; being afterward hanged on a tree
her hayre, and necke, & a moſt loath-
ne ſmoke rayſed vnder her, in the con-
ion of her fayth, gaue vp the Ghoſt. In
a the birth-day of S. *Domitius* Martyr,
o for his vertues and miracles is greatly
noured by the inhabitants there about.
Cyrene in *Libya* of S. *Cyrilla* Martyr, who
he perſecution of *Diocletian*, held a great
ile hoat-burning coles with Incenſe in
hands, leaſt by letting the coles fall, ſhe
ht ſeeme to offer the incenſe to Idols,
afterward moſt cruelly tormented,
nithed with her owne bloud, went to
Spouſe. At *Hieruſalem* of S. *Athanaſius*
con, who for defence of the holy
ncell of *Chalcedon*, hauing endured all

kind of torments by the Heretikes, at laſt dyed by the ſword. In *Sicily* of the holy Martyrs *Agatho*, and *Triphina*. At *Tomis* in *Scythia* of the holy Martyrs. *Marinus*, *Theodotus*, and *Sedopha*. At *Treuers* of *S. Numerianus* Biſhop and Confeſſour. At (a) *San-Seuerino* in *Marc-Ancona* of S. *Philumena* Virgin.

E *The ſixt Day.*

THE Octaue of the holy Apoſtles S. *Peter* and *Paul*. In *Iudæa* of *S. Iſaias* Prophet, who vnder King *Manaſſes* being ſawed in two, ſo dyed, & was buryed vnder the Oake *Rogel*, neere to the paſſage of the Waters. At *Rome* the birth-day of S. *Tranquillinus* Martyr, Father of the Saints *Marcus* and *Marcellianus*, who by the preaching of *S. Sebaſtian* Martyr, being conuerted to the Chriſtian fayth, and baptized by S. *Polycarpe* Prieſt, was afterward ordayned Prieſt by S. *Caius* Pope; and as he was praying at the Tombe of S. *Paul*, vpon the Octaue day of the ſaid Apoſtle, vnder *Diocletian* Emperour, being apprehended, & ſtoned to death by the Pagans, accompliſhed his Martyrdome. At (a) *Fieſoli* in *Tuſcany* of S. *Romulus* Biſhop and Martyr, diſciple to S. *Peter* the Apoſtle, who by his commande-

mandement hauing preached the Ghospel of Christ in many parts of *Italy*, returning to *Fiesoli*, was vnder *Domitian* Emperour, with diuers others crowned with Martyrdome. In *Campania* of S. *Dominica* virgin & Martyr, who vnder *Diocletian* Emperour, for breaking in peeces certayne Idolls, being cast vnto the beasts, but not hurt by them, at last beheaded went vnto our Lord: whose body is kept at *Tropea* in *Calabria*, with great honour and veneration. The same day of S. *Lucy* Martyr, borne in *Campania*, who being apprehended by *Rixius* Lieutenant, and sorely tormented, at last conuerted him to Christ: To whome were ioyned *Antoninus*, *Seuerinus*, *Diodorus*, *Dion*, and seauenteen others, who were all made partakers of one and the same Crowne of Martyrdome. In the Territory of *Treuers*, of S. *Goar* Priest and Confessour.

F. *The seauenth Day.*

AT *Rome* of the holy Martyrs *Claudius* Notary, *Nicostratus* Mayster of Requests, *Castorius*, *Victorinus* and *Symphorianus*, who being conuerted to the fayth of Christ by S. *Sebastian*, and baptized by S. *Policarp* Priest, were for seeking out and burying the

bodies of holy Martyrs, by *Fabianus* Em
commaunded to be apprehended, and a
ten dayes triall, both by flattery and th
tes, when as he could by no meanes m
them to forſake their fayth, after they
byn thryce tortured, were finally thro
head-long into the ſea. At (A) *Durazz*
Dyr- *Macedonia* of the holy Martyrs *Peregrinus*
chiū. *cianus*, *Pompeius Heſichius*, *Papius*, *Saturnin*
Germanus, all *Italians* by byrth, who fly
the perſecutiō of *Traian*, came to that Ci
where ſeeing S. *Alexius* Biſhop to hang
a Croſſe for the fayth of Chriſt, openly
ſeſſed themſelues to be Chriſtians,
which cauſe they were apprehende
commaundment of the Preſident & dr
nedin the ſea. At *Alexandria* the birth-
of S. *Pantanus*, an Apoſtolicall man,
adorned with all kind of wiſdome;
being inflamed with the feruour of
fayth, and deuotion to the word of G
went & preached the ghoſpel to thoſe
tions, which lay vnknowne, in the furt
moſt parts of the Eaſt, and at laſt retur
to *Alexandria*, vnder *Antoninus Caracalla*
ſted in peace. At *Breſcia* of S. *Apollonius*
ſhop & Confeſſor. In *Saxony* of S. *Will*
the firſt Biſhop of Eyſtet, who laborio
preaching the Ghoſpell with S. B

rted many to the fayth of Christ. At
ne of S. *Illidius* Bishop. At *Vrgella* in
of S. *Odo* Bishop. In *England* of S.
Bishop of the *West-Saxons*. There also
Edilburge Virgin, daughter to *Annas*
of the *Eastangles*.

G. *The eyght Day.*

he lesser *Asia*, of the Saints *Aquila*, and
cilla his wyfe, of whome mention is
in the acts of the Apostles. At (a) *Porto* [a Port Roma
holy souldiers, who being conuer- nus.
the fayth of Christ by the Martyr-
of S. *Bonosa*, and baptized by *S. Felix*
were slayne in the persecution of *An-*
In *Palestine* of S. *Procopius* Martyr,
vnder *Diocletian* Emperour, being
ht from *Scythopolis* to *Cæsarea*, was for
st resolute answere, by *Fabianus* the
, beheaded. At *Constantinople* the pas-
t many holy Monkes, called *Abraha-*
who for opposing themselues against
ius Emperour, in defence of worship-
holy Images, were crowned with
rdome. At (b) *Wirtzburge* in *Germany*
Kilianus Bishop, who being sent thi- [b the Pope
the Bishop of *Rome* to preach the
l, and hauing brought many to the

fayth of Chriſt, was there, togeather with his two companions *Colomannus* Prieſt, and *Totnanus* Deacon, killed. At *Treuers* of S. *Auſpicius* Biſhop and Confeſſour.

A *The nynth Day.*

AT *Rome*, at the continually-flowing Waters, the birth-day of the holy Martyrs *Zeno*, and ten thouſand, two hundred, and three others. At *Gortina* in (a) *Candia* of *S. Cyrill* Biſhop, who in the perſecution of *Decius*, vnder *Lucius* Preſident, being caſt into the fyre, & the bandes wherwith he was bound burned, but himſelfe nothing hurt, ſo moued the Iudge by that ſtrang miracle, that he then diſmiſſed him. But being againe apprehended for preaching the fayth of Chriſt, was neuertheleſſe by the ſame Iudge commaunded to be beheaded. At *Thora* by the Lake *Velino* in *Vmbria*, the paſſion *S. Anatolia* Virgin, and *Audax*, of whome, *Anatolia*, after ſhe had cured many, in the Prouince of *Marc-Ancona*, that were ſicke of diuers infirmities, & brought them to the fayth of Chriſt, by commaundment of *Faſtinianus* Iudge being put to diuers torments, and deliuered from a ſerpent that was ſet vpō her at laſt deuouring

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out her hands in prayer, was thruſt through with a ſword. But *Audax*, that was conuerted by ſeeing her deliuered from the forſaid ſerpent, being thereupon taken & committed to pryſon, was forthwith crowned a Martyr. At *Alexandria* of the holy Martyrs *Paternuthius*, *Copreles*, and *Alexander*, who were ſlayne vnder *Iulian* the Apoſtata. At *Martula* of S. *Britius* Biſhop, and Confeſſour, who hauing ſuffered many afflictions for the Confeſſion of his fayth vnder *Marcianus* Iudge, and afterward conuerted a great multitude of people to Chriſt, reſted in peace.

B *The tenth Day.*

AT *Rome* the paſſion of ſeauen holy Brothers, ſonns to S. *Felicitas* Martyr, to wit, *Ianuarius*, *Felix*, *Philip*, *Syluanus*, *Alexander*, *Vitalis* and *Martialis*, in the tyme of *Antoninus* Emperour, vnder *Publius* Gouernour of the Citty; of whome *Ianuarius*, after he had bene ſcourged with rods, & pined in pryſon, was killed with leaden whippes: *Felix* and *Philip* were beaten to death with cudgells; *Syluanus* was throwne downe headlong from a ſteepy place; *Alexander*, *Vitalis* and *Martialis* were beheaded.

Alſo at *Rome* of the holy virgins and
tyrs *Ruffina* and *Secunda* ſyſters, who
perſecution of *Valerian*, and *Gallienus*,
many torments endured, at laſt the on
uing her braynes ſtroken out, the oth
headed, departed to heauen: whoſe b
are kept with due honour and reuere
the Church of *S. Iohn Lateran*, neere
Font. In *Affrica* of the holy Martyrs
rius, *Marinus*, *Nabor*, and *Felix*, who we
beheaded. At *Nicopolis* in *Armenia* of th
ly Martyrs *Leontius*, *Mauritius*, *Daniel*,
their fellowes, who vnder *Licinius* E
rour, and *Liſias* Preſident, hauing en
diuers torments, finally caſt into the
accompliſhed their Martyrdome. In
of the holy Martyrs *Bianor*, and *Sil*
who hauing endured moſt cruell torn
for the name of Chriſt, were laſtly b
ded. At *Iconium* of S. *Appollonius* Ma
who by the death of the Croſſe, obte
a renowned Martyrdome. At *Gaun*
Amelberga Virgin.

C *The eleauenth Day.*

AT *Rome* of S. *Pius* Pope, who
perſecution of *Antonimus*, was c
ned with Martyrdome. At Nicopolis

venia, the birth-day of the holy Martyrs *Januarius* & *Pelagia*, who being foure dayes together racked, & torméted with clawes of iron, and ſharpe potſhards, accompliſhed their Martyrdome. In the *territory* of (a) *Senes*, of S *Sidronius* Martyr. At *Iconium* of S. *Marcianus* Martyr, who vnder *Perennius* reſident, by many torments obteyned a triumphant palme of Martyrdome. At *Side* in *Pamphylia* of S. *Cindeus* Prieſt, who vnder *Diocletian* Emperour, and *Stratonicus* Preſident, after many torments, being caſt into the fyre, and nothing hurt, at laſt gaue vp his ſoule to God in prayer. At *Breſcia* of the holy Martyrs *Sauinus* and *Cyprianus*. At (b) *Pergamo* of *S. Iohn* Biſhop, who was killed by the *Arians*, for defence of the Catholique truth. At *Cordoua* of S. *Abundius* Prieſt, who for inueyghing againſt the Sect of *Mahomet*, was crowned with Martyrdome. In the territory of (c) *Poitiers*, of S. *Sabinus* Confeſſour.

a Senenes.

b Bergomum.

c Pictauium.

D *The twelfth Day.*

AT *Millan* of the holy Martyrs *Nabor* and *Felix*, who ſuffered in the perſecution of *Maximianus*. In the monaſtery of *Siſiano* neere *Florence*, of S. Iohn Gualbert Abbot.

Abbot, founder of the Order of *Vallis-*
broſa. In *Cyprus* of S. *Iaſon*, an anciẽt Diſc
of Chriſt. At *Aquileia* the birth-day of S.
magoras diſciple to S. *Marke* the Euãgeli
the firſt Biſhop of that Citty, who for
miraculous cures, and by diligent p
ching, conuerted many people to the
of Chriſt; & hauing endured diuers ki
torments, at laſt togeather with his De
Fortunatus, by the loſſe of his lyfe, deſe
a perpetuall crowne. At *Luca* in *Tuſca*
S. *Paulinus*, who being ordayned the
Biſhop of that Citty by S. *Peter*, after n
agonyes, vnder *Nero* the Emperour,
foote of the hill *Piſa*, accompliſhed his
tyrdome, with others of his fellowes.
ſame day of S. *Proclus* and *Hilarion*, wh
der *Traian* the Emperour and *Maximus*
ſident, by moſt bitter torments attayne
a Leon-tinum. tryumphant palme of Martyrdome.
Lentini of S. *Epiphania*, who vnder *Dio*
the Emperour, and *Tertyllus* Preſident,
uing her breaſts cut off, gaue vp her
b Tole-tum. to God. At (b) *Toledo* of S. *Marciana* V
and Martyr, who for the fayth of C
being caſt vnto the beaſts, and torn
peeces by a Bull, was crowned with
tyrdome. At *Lions* of S. *Viuentiolus* Bi
At *Bononia* of S. *Patemianus* Biſhop.

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E *The thirteenth Day.*

AT *Rome* of S. *Anacletus* Pope & Martyr, who after S. *Clemens* gouerned the Church of God, and adorned the same by a glorious Martyrdome. The same day of the Saints *Ioel* and *Esdras* Prophets. In *Mauritania* of S. *Silas*, one of the first Christians, who being sent by the Apostles with *Paul* and *Barnaby* to the Churches of the Gentils, full of the holy Ghost, diligently performing his office of preaching, and enduring many afflictions for the glory of Christ, rested at last in peace. Also of S. *Syrion* Martyr, who vnder *Seuerus* Emperour and *Aquila* President, by fyre obtayned the crowne of Martyrdome. In the Island *Chio* of S. *Mitopes* Martyr, who vnder *Decius* Emperour, and *Numerianus* President being bruised with barres, went vnto our Lord. In *Affrica* of the holy Confessor *Eugenius* Bishop of *Carthage*, renowned for his truth, and other vertues, who together with aboue fiue hundred of the Clergy of that Church, in the persecution of the *Vandals* vnder *Hunnericus* the *Arrian* King, being by slaughter and famine greatly consumed (amongst which many were slayne,

and

perſeuerance in Chriſt. In Little
S. *Turianus* Biſhop, and Confeſſ
of great ſimplicity, and innocen

F *The fourteenth Da*

AT *Lyons* the depoſition of S
ture Cardinall, Biſhop of
Doctour of the Church, of the
S. *Francis*, much renowned for d
holynes of lyfe. At *Rome* of S. *Iuſt*
dier, vnder *Claudius* the Tribune
the miraculous appearing of a C
ing conuerted to the Chriſtian f
forthwith baptized, beſtowed all
vpon the poore; and afterwards a
ded by *Maximus* Gouernour, a

entus of S. *Phocas* Martyr, and Biſhop of ſame Citty, who vnder *Traian* the Em-our, hauing ouercome both impriſon-nt, fetters, iron, and fyre, in the confeſſion Chriſt aſcended to heauen. Whoſe holy iques were trãſlated to *Vienne* in *France*, there placed in the Church of the A-lles. At *Alexandria* of S. *Heraclas* Biſhop, oſe fame was ſo renowned, that *Afri-s* the Hiſtorian wryteth of himſelfe, v he went of purpoſe to *Alexandria*, to im. At *Carthage* of S. *Cyrus* Biſhop, v-whoſe feaſt *S. Auguſtine* made a Ser-n to the people. At (a) *Como* of S. *Felix* firſt Biſhop of that Citty. At *Breſcia* of *ptatianus* Biſhop. At *Dauentry* in *Gelder-* of S. *Marcellinus* Prieſt and Confeſſour. *Bamberge* of S. *Henry* Emperour, the firſt hat name, who with his wyfe *Chune-les* kept perpetuall Virginity, and per-led *Stephen* King of *Hungary*, with all-ſt all his Realme, to receaue the fayth Chriſt.

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G. *The fifteenth Day.*

T (a) *Porto* the birth-day of the holy Martyrs *Eutropius*, *Zoſima* and *Bonoſa* ers. At *Carthage* of S. *Catulinus* Deacon.

a Portus Romanus.

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Antiochus a Phiſitian, who v
vnder *Hadrian* Preſident; and
of bloud there iſſued milke fr
Cyriacus the executioner bei
by that miracle, became alſo
Pauia of S. *Felix* Biſhop and M
ſbis of S. *Lames* Biſhop of tha
being famous for holynes of l
and miracles, was one of thoſ
in the perſecution of *Maximian*
Nicene Councell, condemnec
opinion of *Arius*, by oppoſi
the word *Homouſion*; and by w
& by the prayers of *Alexander*

in the dayes of *Carolus Caluus*.

A *The sixtenth Day*.

IE birth-day of S. *Faustus* Martyr, who vnder *Decius* Emperour, being ed on a Crosse, liued fyue dayes han- hereon, & at last shot with arrowes, vnto our Lord. At *Sebasta* in *Armonia* holy Martyrs *Athenogenes* Bishop, and his Disciples, vnder *Diocletian* the rour. At *Antioch* in *Syria* the birth-day *ustathius* Bishop and Confessor, re- ied for doctrine and holynes, who *Constantius* the *Arian* Emperour, for e of the Catholicke fayth, banished *hracia*, there rested in our Lord. The day of S. *Hilarinus* Monke, who to- er with S. *Donatus*, being apprehen- the persecution of *Iulian*, and refu- o sacrifyce vnto Idols, sore beaten cudgels, was finally at (a) *Arezzo* in *y*, made a Martyr: whose body was vard translated to *Ostia*. At *Treuers* of *entine* Bishop and Martyr. At *Cordoua* *yne* of S. *Sisenandus* Deacon and Mar- who for the fayth of Christ was stran- *by the Saracens*. At (b) Saints in France holy Martyrs *Raineldes* Virgin, & her

a Aretium.

b Saxon

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AT *Rome* of S. *Alexius* Confeſſor to *Euphemianus* a Senatour, w firſt night of his Marriage, leau Spouſe vntouched, forſooke his h after a long peregrination, returnin Citty, was harboured for ſeauenteen togeather, as a poore beggar, in a co his fathers houſe vnknowne; delu the world by a new deuiſe: But a death, by a voyce heard in the Chu the Citty, & alſo by a wryting of his being knowne, was in the tyme *nocentius* Pope, with great honour e in the Church of S. *Boniface*, and t nowned for miracles. At *Carthage* the

of S. *Speratus*, together with the be-
S. *Cyprian*, and the head of S. *Pantæ-*
ere afterward translated out of *Africa*
rance, and placed in the Church of S.
apoſt at *Lions*. At *Amaſtris* in *Paphlago-*
S. *Hiacynthus* Martyr, who having
ed many afflictions vnder *Caſtritius*
ent, dyed in pryſon. At (a) *Tiuoli* of S. a Tibur
ſus Martyr. At *Conſtantinople* of S.
ia Martyr, vnder Leo the (b) *Iſaure-* b Image
It *Rome* the depoſition of S. *Leo* Pope, breaker.
irth of that name. At *Paris* of S. *En-*
Biſhop and Confeſſour. At (c) *Au-* c Antifi
f S. *Theodoſius* Biſhop. At *Millan* of S. dorum.
lina Virgin, ſyſter to S. *Ambroſe*, who
e in the Church of S. *Peter* receaued
dy veyle, at the hands of Pope *Libe-*
Whoſe ſanctimony of life the fame S.
e in his writings hath witneſſed. At
the tranſlation of S. *Marina* Virgin.

C *The eighteenth Day.*

F (a) *Tiuoli* of S. *Symphoroſa* wyfe to a Tibur
S. *Getulius* Martyr, with her ſeauen
Creſcens, *Iulian*, *Nemeſius*, *Primitiuus*,
Stactius and *Eugenius*; whoſe mother
Hadrian Emperour, for her inuinci-
ſtancy in fayth, being ſore tor-

aboue the face, and then hanged vp b
hayre, at laſt hauing a ſtone tyed t
necke, was throwne into the Riue
her Sonnes being ſtretched with p
vpon ſtakes, by diuers kindes of dea
complished their Martyrdome. The
dies being afterward tranſlated to
were in the dayes of Pope *Pius* the
found in an Oratory of the Churc
Angelus. At *Carthage* of S. *Gundenes*
who by commaundment of *Ruffin*
conſul, being foure ſeuerall times ra
torne with clawes of iron; pyned
pryſon, was at laſt beheaded. At *Do*
in *Myſia* of S. *Aemilianus* Martyr, wh
tyme of *Iulian* the Apoſtata, vnder
nus Preſident, being caſt into a l
fornace, receaued the triumphant p
Martyrdom. At (a) *Maeſtricht* of *S. F*
Biſhop and Martyr. In *Galicia* of *S*
S. Marina virgin & Martyr. At *Mil*
Maternus Biſhop, who vnder *Maxin*
perour for defence of the Church c
ted to his charge, being caſt into pr
often whipped, renowned for th
confeſſions of his fayth, went to re
Lord. At *Breſcia* the birth-day of
ſtrius Biſhop of the ſame Citty,
word and writing greatly oppo

Heretiques, especially the *Arians* by whome he was much persecuted, at last famous for miracles dyed a Confessor. At (b) *Metz* in *France* of S. *Arnulphus* Bishop, renowned for holines and miracles; who imbracing an Eremiticall lyfe, made a blessed end. (c) *Segni* of S. *Bruno* Bishop and Confessor.

D. *The nyneteenth Day.*

THE birth-day of S. *Epaphras*, whome S. *Paul* the Apostle calleth his fellow-prisoner; who by the same Apostle being ordayned Bishop of the *Colossians*, renowmed for vertue, & for stoutly defending the flocke committed to his charge, receaued the tryumphant palme of Martyrdome. Whose body lyeth at *Rome*, in the Church of S. *Mary Maior*. At *Seuill* in *Spayne* the passion of the holy virgins *Iusta* and *Ruffina*, who being apprehended by *Diogenianus*, & stretched vpon the racke, torne with Iron clawes, afflicted with lōg impryſonment, hunger, and diuers other miseries, at length *Iusta* died in prison; but *Ruffina* in the confessing of her fayth was beheaded. At *Cordoua* of S. *Aurea* virgin, who hauing fallen frō her fayth, but penitent for the same

a new combat overcome her enem
the price of her bloud. At *Treuers* c
tin Bishop and Martyr, At *Rome* of
chus Pope, who wearied a long ty
the faction of Scismatikes, at last r
for sanctity went vnto our Lord
na of S. *Felix* Bishop. At *Mount Sc*
gypt, of S. *Arsenius* Deacon of th
Church, who in the tyme of *Theo*
ring himselfe into a wildernes, r
for all kind of vertues, and grace
gaue vp his soule to God. In *Ca*
S. *Macrina* virgin, syster to S. *Basil*
and S. *Gregory Nissen*.

E *The twentith Day*.

AT *Antioch* the passion of S
Virgin and Martyr. In t
Carmelus of S. *Elias* Prophet. The
the Festiuity of S. *Ioseph* surname
whome the Apostles appoynte
in Election with *Matthias*, to

: of whome it is recorded, that hauing
nke poyſon, through his fayth in our
rd, receaued no hurt. At *Damaſco* of the
y Martyrs *Sabinus*, *Iulianus*, *Maximus*, *Ma-*
ius, *Caſsia*, and *Paula*, with ten others. At
loua of S. *Paul* Deacon and Martyr, who
reprehending Infidell Princes, for their
hometicall impiety, and cruelty to Chri-
ns, & for preaching of Chriſt very con-
ntly, was ſlayne by their commaundi-
nt, and ſo aſcended to heauen for his
ard. In *Portugal* of S. *Wilgefort* Virgin
Martyr, who for the defence of her
th and Virginity, deſerued a moſt
rious tryumph, by the death of the
oſſe. In the Territory of *Bullen* in *France*,
. *Walmarus* Abbot, a man of wonderfull
ynes. At *Treuers* of S. *Seuera* Virgin.

F *The one and twentith Day.*

T *Rome* of S. *Praxedes* virgin, who be-
ing brought vp in all Chaſtity, and
ctimony of life, giuing herſelfe wholy
prayer, watching, and faſting, went to
in our Lord, and was buryed neere
o her ſyſter *Pudentiana*, in the way called
ria. At *Babylon* of S. *Daniel* Prophet. At
Marſeille the birth-day of S. Victor, who

being a ſouldier, and refuſing either to follow the warres, or to ſacrifice vnto Idols, firſt caſt into pryſon, and there comforted by an Angel, after diuers torments, at laſt ground to peeces in a Mill, accompliſhed his Martyrdome. There ſuffered with him three other ſouldiers *Alexander, Felicianus, &* Frecc. *Longinus.* At (b) *Troys* of *S. Iulia* virgin and Martyr. There alſo the paſſiõ of the Saints *Claudius, Iuſtus, Iucundinus,* and fyue more of their fellowes, vnder *Aurelianus* Emperour. At *Comana* in *Armenia* of *S. Zoticus* Biſhop and Martyr, who ſuffered vnder *Seuerus.* Argen- At (c) *Strasburge* of S. *Arbogaſtus* Biſhop, re- ratum. nowned for miracles. In *Syria* of *S. Iohn* Monke, Companion of S. *Simeon.*

G *The two and twentith Day.*

Maſſi. AT (a) *Marſeille* the birth-day of S. *Mary Magdalen,* out of whome our Lord caſt ſeauen Diuels, and who deſerued firſt to ſee our Sauiour, after he was riſen from death. At *Philippi* of *S. Syntiches,* of whome S. *Paul* the Apoſtle maketh mention. At *Ancyra* in *Galatia* the birth-day of S. *Plato* Martyr, who vnder *Agrippinus* Lieutenant, being whipped, torne with iron clawes, and vexed with other moſt barbarous tor- ments

last beheaded, rendred vp his
od: whose miracles in helping
s, the Acts of the second Coũ-
do testify. In *Cyprus* of S. *Theo-*
r, who apprehended by the *A-*
en neyther by gyfts nor threa-
d be induced to deny Christ,
led. At *Antioch* of S. *Cyril* Bishop,
for doctrine and holynes. In
ry of (b) *Auuergne* of *S. Meneleus*
the Monastery called *Blandine*, of
silius Abbot, renowned for mi-
Scythopolis in *Palestine* of *S. Ioseph*

b Atum

he three and twentith Day.

birth-day of S. *Apollinaris*, who
ordayned Bishop by S. *Peter*
, and sent to *Rauenna*, suffered
fold afflictions for the fayth of
rward going into *Aemilia*, and
ing the Ghospell, and reducing
the worship of Idols, at length
o *Rauenna*, vnder *Vespasian* Em-
omplished a glorious Martyr-
me of S. *Rasyphus* Martyr. There
ssion of S. *Primitiua* Virgin and
o of the holy Martyrs Apollonius

Martyrs, whome *Nicephorus* the in
Emperour (ſpoyling the Churches o
by diuers kindes of death, comman
[a] Cenomani. be killed At([a]) *Mans* in *France* of S. *I*
Biſhop and Confeſſour. At *Rome* of t
ly virgins *Romula*, *Redempta*, and *Heru*
of whome S. *Gregory* Pope maketh m
The ſame day, the departure out
lyfe of S. *Brigit* widdow, who aft
ny peregrinations made to holy plac
of the holy Ghoſt, finally repoſed at
whoſe body was after tranſlated int
nia. Her principall feſtiuity is cele
vpon the ſeauenth of October.

maundment first cruelly whipped, and other wayes most grieuously tormented; then being tyed to a weighty stone, & cast into a Lake, but deliuered by an Angel, was after all this, vnder another Iudge, successour to her Father, againe most cruelly tormented; and lastly by *Iulianus* President after she had byn shut vp fiue dayes in a burning fornace, without any hurt, and by the power of Christ ouercome Serpents, hauing also her tōgue cut out, & shot full of arrowes, ended the course of her Martyrdome. At *Rome* in the way called *Tiburtina* of S. *Vincent* Martyr. At *Amiterno* in (a) *Abruzza*, the passion of foure score, and three holy souldiers, Martyrs. At (b) *Merida* in *Spayne* of S. *Victor* Souldier, who with his two brothers *Stercatius* and *Antinogenes* in the persecution of *Diocletian* by diuers kind of tormēts accomplished his Martyrdome. In *Lycia* of the holy Martyrs *Niceta* and *Aquilina*, who being conuerted to Christ by the preaching of S. *Christopher* Martyr, obtayned palmes of Martyrdome, by losse of their heads. Also of the holy Martyrs *Moncus* and *Capito*. At (c) *Sens* of S. *Vrsicinus* Bishop and Confessor.

OF *S. Iames* the Apoſtle, brot
Iohn the Euangeliſt, who a
feaſt of *Eaſter*, was beheaded by He
pa. His holy Reliques, were t
from *Hieruſalem* to *Galicia* in *Spayne*
are had in great Veneration of tha
& much frequented by the great r
of people from all parts, who for
and Religion, go thither on pil
In *Lycia* of S. *Chriſtopher* Martyr,
der *Decius* being ſorely bruiſed wi
of iron, and caſt in the burning fir
ſerued by the power of Chriſt, a
full of arrowes and beheaded, acco
his Martyrdome. At (a) *Barcelona*
the birth-day of *S. Cucuphates* Ma
in the perſecution of *Diocletian* vnd
nus Preſident, hauing ouercome n
ments, by the loſſe of his head we
phantly to heauen. In *Paleſtine*

a Barcino

ne to the knowledge of the Truth; after the whole multitude there preſent; la- y for the Iudge that condemned him, & Hangman that was to execute the ſen- ce; and ſo beheaded, receaued the crow- of Martyrdome. There alſo of *S. Valentina* rgin, who carryed to an Altar to ſacri- e vnto the Idolls, and ouerthrowing it ith her feete, being ſorely tormented, to- ather with another Virgin her compa- on, and after caſt into the fyre, went ioy- ly vnto her ſpouſe. At (b) *Forcono* in *Ab- izzo* of the holy Martyrs *Florentius* & *Fe-* Cittizens of *Siponto*. At *Cordoua* of S. *Theo- nirus* Monke and Martyr. At *Treuers* of *Magnericus* Biſhop and Confeſſour.

b Ex niun Veſti

D *The ſix and twentith Day.*

THE departure out of the life of S. *Anne* mother of the B. Virgin Mary. At *Phi- i* in *Macedonia* the birth-day of S. *Eraſtus*, ho being left Biſhop there by *S. Paul* the poſtle, was crowned with Martyrdome. *Rome*, in the way *Latina*, of the holy artyrs *Simphronius, Olympius, Theodulus*, and *uperia*; who, as it is recorded in the acts S. *Stephen* Pope, obtayned the palme Martyrdome by fyre. At (a) Porto of S.

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Hip-

Hiacynthus Martyr, who being firſt ca
to the fyre, & then throwne headlo
to a riuer, but eſcaping without any
was afterward by *Leontius* Conſul,
Traian the Emperour beheaded; whoſ
dy *Iulia* a noble Matrone buryed i
mánour, neere to the Citty. Alſo at R
S. *Paſtor* Prieſt, vnder whoſe Name
is yet extant a Title, in the Church
Pudentiana, vpon the Hill *Viminalis*.
rona of S. *Valens* Biſhop and Confeſſ
the monaſtery of S. *Benet* neere *Man*
S. *Simeon* Monke and Hermit, who re
ned for many miracles, in a good ol
reſted in our Lord.

E *The ſeauen and twentith Da*

AT *Nicomedia* the paſſion of S.
leon Phiſitian, who being appre
by *Maximianus* Emperour for the fa
Chriſt, and racked vpon the torture
leus, and tormented with burning l
in the middſt wherof he was com
by our Lord appearing vnto him, at
loſſe of his head, accompliſhed his M
dome. There alſo of *S. Hermolaus* Pri
whoſe doctrine S. *Pantaleon* was cont
Alſo of the Saints Hermippus and Herm

others, who after many torments, were the same *Maximianus* beheaded, for the fession of Christ. At *Nola* of the holy rtyrs *Felix*, *Iulia* and *Iucunda*. At (a) *Bisegli pulia* of the holy Martyrs *Maurus* Bishop, *talemon* and *Sergius*, who suffered vnder *ian*. In the Country of the *Homerita*, the mmemoration of many holy Martyrs, o were burned vnder *Dunaan* the Ty-t, for the fayth of Christ. At *Cordoua* in *me* of the holy Martyrs *George* Deacon, *r*, *Aurelius*, *Natalia*, and *Liliosa*, in the secution of the Arabians. At *Ephesus* the h-day of the holy Seauen Sleepers, *Ma-ianus*, *Malchus*, *Martinianus*, *Dionysius*, *Iohn*, *pion*, and *Constantine*. At (b) *Auxerre* the osition of S. *Ætherius* Bishop and Con-or. At *Constantinople* of S. *Anthusa* Virgin, o vnder *Constantinus Copronymus*, for rshipping of holy Images being whip-, and sent into banishment, rested in our rd.

a Vigilia

b Anti siodorus

F *The eight and twentith Day.*

AT *Rome* the passion of *S. Victor* Pope and Martyr. There also of S. *Innocen-* Pope and Confessour. At *Millan* the h-day of the holy Martyrs *Nazarius*, &

Celsus

Celſus a boy, who in the fury of perſec
vnder *Nero*, after long pyning, and
ction in pryſon, were by *Anolinus* b
ded. At *Thebais* in *Aegypt*, the Comme
tion of many holy Martyrs, who ſu
in the perſecution of *Decius* and *Vale*
At what tyme, the Chriſtians deſir
dye for the name of Chriſt, the crafty
my of mankind, deuiſed certaine flo
niſhments to put them to death, wher
meant rather to kill their ſoules, then
bodies. Of which number one, after t
had ouercome the torture *Equuleus*,
fiery plates, and other torments, bein
noynted ouer with hony, and his
bound behind him, was placed in the
ſcorching ſunne, to be ſtunge of waſp
flyes. Another being layd among ſoft
ers, and by an impudent Harlot prou
to luſt, byting off his tongue, did ſpit
her face. At *Ancyra* in *Galatia* of S. *Euſt*
Martyr, who after diuers kind of torm
being throwne into a riuer, but deli
by an Angell, was at laſt by a Doue de
ding from heauen, inuited to lyfe e
ſting. At (a) *Melaſſo* of S. *Acatius* Martyr
vnder *Licinius* Emperour, after diuer
ments being throwne into a burnin
nace, but by the help of God pre

a Miſc. fus.

hurt, accompliſhed his Martyrdome
ſſe of his head. In little *Brittany* of S.
ſon Biſhop and Confeſſor. At *Lyons* of
regrinus Prieſt, whoſe holines of life
ſtifyed by the glory of miracles.

G *The nyne and twentith Day.*

T (a) *Taraſcon* in *Prouence* of *France*, of
S. *Martha* virgin, Harbourer of our
iour, and ſyſter to Bleſſed *Mary Mag-*
and S. *Lazarus*. At *Rome* in the way
ed *Aurelia* of *S. Felix* the ſecond, Pope &
rtyr, who for defending the Catholique
h, being caſt out of his Sea by *Conſtan-*
the *Arian* Emperour, & ſlaine priuately
era in *Tuſcany*, made a glorious end. His
y being taken thence by the Clergie
buryed in the ſame way, was after
ſlated to the Church of *S. Coſmas* and
nianus. And in the tyme of Pope *Gregory*
thirteenth the ſame was found there vn-
the Altar, togeather with the reliques
e holy Martyrs *Marcus*, *Marcellianus*, and
Quillinus, and with them, decently layd
e in the ſame place, the one & thirtith
of Iuly. Vnder which Altar, were alſo
d the bodies of the holy Martyrs *Abun-*
rieſt, and *Abundantius* Deacon, which

a Tara cum.

not long after, were solemnely [illegible]
to the Church of the Society of *Iesus*,
the Eue of their Feast. Also at *Rome*
way *Portuensis*, of the holy Martyrs [illegible]
cius, *Faustinus*, and *Beatrosse*, vnder *Di*[illegible]
Emperour, of whome the two form[illegible]
many torments were beheaded. But [illegible]
their syster, for the confession of [illegible]
was strangled in pryson. Moreouer [illegible]
of the holy Martyrs *Lucilla* and *Flo*[illegible]
gins, *Eugenius*, *Antoninus*, *Theodorus*, and
teene others, who suffered a famous
tyrdome, vnder *Gallienus* Emperou[illegible]
Gangra in *Paphlagonia* of S. *Gallinicus* [illegible]
who being cruelly whipped with [illegible]
of iron, & diuers other wayes torm[illegible]
at last cast into a burning fornace, g[illegible]
his soule to God. In *Norway* of S.
King and Martyr. At (b) *Troys* in *Fr*[illegible]
b Trecz. S. *Lupus* Bishop and Confessor, who
into *England* with *S. German*, to exp[illegible]
Pelagian Heresy thēce; & by his con[illegible]

op of *Orleans*. At (d) *Todi* of *S. Faustinus* d Tudetum.
onfessor. At *Mamia* of S. *Seraphina*.

A The thirtith Day.

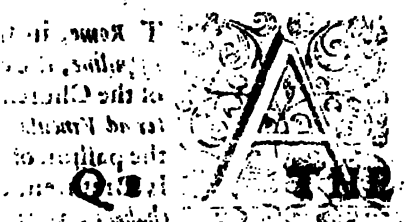
AT *Rome* of the holy Martyrs *Abdon* & *Sennen* Persians, who vnder *Decius* mperour, being brought to *Rome* bound in aynes, were for the fayth of Christ, first hipped with leaden whippes, and afterard beheaded. At *Tuburbum* in *Affrica*, of holy virgins and Martyrs, *Maxima*, *Donilla* and *Secunda*, of whome, the two first the persecution of *Valerianus* being conyned to drinke vinegar and gall, then elly beaten, and racked vpon the torture *uleus*; broyled also vpon a gridiron, and bed with hoate lime, were afterwards, eather with *Secunda* a Girle of twelue res old, cast vnto the beasts, who refuto touch thē, they were finally behea- At (a) *Assisi* in *Vmbria* of S. *Ruffinus* Mar- a Assisi
At *Cæsarea* in *Cappadocia* of S. *Iulitta* tyr, who clayming in Iustice, the reation of her goods, which were vniudetayned from her by a certaine noble , and he taking exceptions against her hat she was a Christian; and therfore *to be heard*; was commaunded by

the Iudge to offer incense to the Idolls tha
so her cause might be heard, which she con
stantly refusing to do, being cast into th
fyre, gaue vp her soule to God; but her b
dy was nothing at all hurt thereby. H
renowned prayses are celebrated by S. B
sil the Great, with most high commend
tion. At (b) *Auxerre* of S. *Vrsus* Bishop a
Confessor.

B *The one and thirtith Day.*

[illegible] *Caesarea* in *Palestine* the passion o
[illegible] *Eubius* Martyr, who refusing to
the Ensigne of his Garrison, was for
few dayes cast into prison, and after
or twyce examined, and still persistin
the confession of his fayth, was by the
ge condemned to death. At *Millau*
Calimerius Bishop and Martyr, wh
prehended in the persecution of *Anton*
and cast headlong into a Well, finishe
course of his Martyrdome. At *Synnu*
Phrygia of the holy Martyrs *Democritu*
cundus, and *Dionysius*. In *Syria* of three
dred & fifty holy Monkes Martyrs, wh
defending the Councell of *Chalcedon*,
slayne by the Heretiques. At *Rauenn*
departure out of this world of S. Ge

f *Auxerre*, greatly renowned for his
e, fayth, doctrine, and glorious mi-
tho delivered ([a]) *England* from the a Brit
f the *Pelagians*. At *Tagasta* in *Affrica* nia.
ius Bishop, renowned for the glo-
nfession of his fayth. At *Siena* in
he birth-day of S. *Iohn Columbinus*,
of the Order called *Iesuatis*, re-
for holines of life, and miracles.



THE MONET OF AVGVST

C *The firſt Day.*

AT *Rome*, in the *Eſquiline*, the dedi ot the Church of *ter ad Vincula.* At the paſſion of ſea ly Brethren, of th *chabees*, with the ther, who ſuffered vnder King *An* ſurnamed *Epiphanes.* Their reliques tranſlated to *Rome*, are kept with gr uerence in the forſayd Church of S. *Vincula.* At *Rome* the paſſion of th virgins, *Fides*, *Spes*, and *Charitas*, who *Hadrian* Emperour obtayned the cro

me. Also at *Rome* in the way
he holy Martyrs *Bonus* Priest, *Fau-*
aurus, with nyne others, recorded
ts of S. *Stephen* Pope. At *Philadel-*
bia of the holy Martyrs *Cyrillus*,
r, *Domitianus*, *Rufus*, & *Menander*,
ed with Martyrdome vpon one
rgen in *Pamphylia*, of the holy Mar-
ius, *Attius*, *Alexander*, and of six
men, who in the persecution of
, vnder *Flauianus* President were
. At (a) *Girona* in *Spayne* the birth-
elix Martyr, who by commaund-
acianus President was so long tor-
ntill he gaue vp his vndaunted
God. At (b) *Vercelli* of S. *Eusebius*
d Martyr, who for the Confes-
Catholique fayth, being bani-
nto *Scythopolis*, and thence into
by *Constantius* Emperour, and af-
returning home to his owne
vas by the *Arrians* that persecuted
to death. In the territory of *Paris*,
nus Martyr. At *Vienna* of S. *Verus*
t *Winchester* in *England* of S. *Ethel-*
p. In the Village of *Liswin*, of S.
Confessour.

a Gerunda.

b Vercellæ.

AT *Rome*, in the Churchyard
ſtus, the birth-day of S. *Stephe*
and Martyr, who in the perſecutio
leri anus, being at the Altar, and the f
ruſhing in vpon him, with an vn
courage making an end of his Mar
beheaded in his Biſhops Seat. At
Bithynia the paſſion of S. *Theodota*, V
three ſonnes, of whome the elde
Euodius confeſſing with great cour
name of Chriſt, by commaundmen
celius Conſull, being ſore beate wi
geſls, was finally, togeather with
ther, and his other brothers conſu
the fyre. In *Affrica* of S. *Rutilius*
who flying from place to place for
perſecution, and ſometyme alſo red
his preſent daunger with money
vnexpectedly apprehended, and p
before the Preſident, was put to m
ments, and laſtly by the fire obt
crowne of Martyrdome. At (a) *Pad*
Maximus Biſhop of the ſame Citty,
nowned for miracles, ended hi
dayes.

a Petauiū

E *The third Day.*

T *Hierusalem* the Inuention of the bo-
dy of S. *Stephen* the Protomartyr, &
r Saints *Gamaliel*, *Nicodemus*, & *Abibo*,
ed to *Lucianus* Priest, in the dayes of
us the Emperour. At *Constantinople* the
day of S. *Hermellus* Martyr. In *India*
to the *Persians*; the passion of ma-
ly Monkes, and other Christians,
y commaundment of King *Abeuner*,
uting the Church of God, after they
eene afflicted with many torments,
illed. At *Naples* in *Campania* of S. *As-*
ishop, who being cured of a great
s by S. *Peter* the Apostle, and after-
baptized, was ordained Bishop of the
Citty. At (a) *Austum* the deposition of
hronius Bishop and Confessour. At
of S. *Peter* Bishop, who first renow-
r monasticall discipline, and after-
for his Pastorall Vigilancy went to
our Lord. At *Philippi* in *Macedonia* of
a Seller of Purple, who by the prea-
of S. *Paul* the Apostle, first of all in
Citty believed in Christ. At *Berea*
a, of the holy women, *Marana* and

a Aug stodur

F *The fourth Day.*

AT *Bolonia* of S. *Dominicke* Conf
Founder of the Order of *Friar*
chers, renowned for ſanctity and do
who kept his Virginity vndefyled
end of his life, and by his merits,
three dead men to lyfe. And when
by his preaching, repreſſed Hereſy
inſtructed many in religious, and
lyfe, the ſixt day of this Moneth he v
reſt in peace. But his feaſt is kept
day, by a Conſtitution of Pope *Pa*
fourth. At *Theßalonica* the birth-day
Ariſtarchus Diſciple, and vnſeparable
panion to S. *Paul* the Apoſtle, of wh
his Epiſtle to the *Coloſſians* he writet
Ariſtarchus my fellow-priſoner ſaluteth yo
ing ordayned Biſhop of the *Theßalon*
the ſame Apoſtle, after many long a
ſuffered vnder *Nero*, crowned by
reſted in peace. At *Rome* in the way
Latina, the paſſion of S. *Tertullinus* P
Martyr, who vnder *Valerianus* Emp
after he had byn moſt cruelly bruiſe
cudgels, his ſydes burned with fyre,
buffered about the face; being racke
vpon the Torture Equuleus, and

ves cut, accompliſhed his Martyrdome the loſſe of his head. At *Conſtantinople* of *Eleutherius* Senatour, who for the confeſ- n of Chriſt dyed by the ſword, in the ſecution of *Maximianus*. In *Perſia* of the y Martyrs *Ia*, and her fellowes, who to- ther with nyne thouſand Chriſtian Ca- ues, vnder *Sapores* King, afflicted with ers torments, endured Martyrdome. At len of S. *Protaſius* Martyr. At *Verona* of *Agabius* Biſhop and Confeſſor. At (a) res of S. *Euphronius* Biſhop. At *Rome* of *Perpetua*, who baptized by *S. Peter* the oſtle, conuerted *Nazarius* her Sonne, l *Africanus* her Husband to the fayth of riſt, and after ſhe had buried the bodies nany holy Martyrs, loaden with merits good workes, went to our Lord.

a Tur nes.

G. *The fifth Day.*

AT *Rome* in the Mount *Eſquiline*, the Dedication of the Church of S. *Mary* ues. Alſo at *Rome* the paſſion of three twenty holy Martyrs, who in the per- tion of *Diocletian* being beheaded in the way *Salaria*, lye there buried, at the te of the Hill *Cucumeri*. At (a) *Ausburge* birth-day of S. *Afra* Martyr, who of an

a Aug ſta Vin licorū

Infidell being made a Chriſtian, by
ſtruction of S. *Narciſſus* Biſhop, an
zed with all her houſe, was for the c
b Aſculā. on of Chriſt burned. At (b) *Aſcali* i
Ancona, of S. *Emygdius* Martyr, who
ned Biſhop by *S. Marcellus* Pope, a
thither to preach the ghoſpell of Ch
the confeſſion of his fayth, vnder D
Emperour, receaued the crowne of I
dome. At *Antioch* of *S. Euſignius* ſo
who being an hundred and ten y
age, for obiecting to *Iulian* the A
the fayth of *Conſtantine* the Great,
hg had ſerued in the warres; and re
ding him as a forſaker of his An
Piety, was by his commaundment
ded. Alſo of the holy Martyrs *Cantidi*
c Cite- *tidianus*, and *Sobel* Ægyptians. At (c)
lanum. in *France* of S. *Memmius* a Cittizen c
who ordained Biſhop of that Citt
Peter the Apoſtle, reduced the peopl
mitted to his charge, to the truth of
d [illegible]ly ghoſpell. At (d) *Auſtum* of S. *Caſſia*

A *The sixt Day.*

the Mount *Thabor*, the Transfigura-
on of our Lord Iesus Christ. At *Rome*
e way called *Appia*, in the Churchyard
ellistus, the birth-day of S. *Xistus* the se-
l. Pope and Martyr, who in the per-
ion of *Valerianus* by being beheaded, re-
ed the crowne of Martyrdome. Also of
holy Martyrs *Felicissimus* and *Agapitus*
cons, *Ianuarius*, *Magnus*, *Innocentius*, and
en Subdeacons of the same Pope, who
e all with him beheaded, and lye bu-
in the Churchyard of *Prætextatus*. There
red also with them Blessed *Quarius*, as
eth S. *Cyprian*. At (a) *Alcala* in *Spayne* of
holy Martyrs *Iustus* and *Pastor* brothers,
being yonge youthes, and going to
ole, casting downe their bookes, did of
r owne accord runne to Martyrdome;
forthwith by commaundment of *Da-*
s President, being apprehended and
en with cudgels, were finally led out of
City, where exhorting ech other with
t courage and constancy, they were
gled by the Hangman. At *Rome* of S.
nisda Pope and Confessor. At *Amida* of
nus Hermit, renowned for miracles.

a Co
plutu

B *The ſeauenth Day.*

retiũ AT (a) *Arezzo* in *Tuſcany*, the birth-day of S. *Donatus* Biſhop & Martyr, who amongſt other of his miracles, as writeth S. *Gregory* Pope, by his prayers made whole againe a ſacred Chalice that had bin broken by the Pagans: and in the perſecution of *Iulian* the Apoſtata being apprehended by *Quadratianus* Captaine of the Guard, for refuſing to ſacrifyce vnto Idolls, was beheaded, & ſo accompliſhed his Martyrdome. There ſuffered alſo with him S. *Hilarinus* a Monke, whoſe feaſt is kept vpon the ſixteenth day of Iuly, when his body was tranſlated to *Oſtia*. At *Rome* of the holy Martyrs *Peter* and *Iulian*, with eighteene others. At *Millan* of S. *Fauſtus* Souldier, who vnder *Aurelius Commodus*, after many combats for Chriſt, obteyned the crowne of Martyrdome. At (b) *Como* the paſſion of the holy Martyrs *Carpophorus*, *Exanthus*, *Caſſius*, *Seuerinus*, *Secundus*, and *Licinius*, who for the confeſſion of Chriſt were beheaded. At *Niſibis* in *Meſopotamia* of S. *Dometius* a Perſian Monke, who with two of his diſciples, was ſtoned to death vnder *Iulian* the *Apoſtata*. At *Roan* of S. Victricius Biſhop

Nouo-mum.

who hauing bin a souldier vnder the forsaid *Julian*, & casting away his military Cincture, was by the Tribune put to diuers torments, and after condemned to be beheaded; but the Executioner being stroken blynd, and he vnbound escaped way. And afterward being made Bishop, by preaching the Ghospell, brought the fierce and barbarous people of (c) *Teruane*, & (d) *Tournay* to the fayth of Christ, and finally ended his dayes in peace. At (e) *Chaallon* in *France* of S. *Donatianus* Bishop. At *Messina* in *Sicily* of S. *Albert* Confessor, of the Order of Carmelits, renowned for miracles.

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d Neri
e Cata
launum

C. *The eyght Day.*

AT *Rome* of the holy Martyrs *Cyriacus* Deacon, *Largus*, and *Smaragdus*, with twenty others, who in the persecution of *Diocletian* and *Maximian*, suffered vpon the Extenth of *March*. Their bodies being buried in the way called *Salaria*, S. *Marcellus* Pope, on this day translated into the Mansour of *Lucina*, in the way to *Ostia*; which afterward were brought into the Citty, and placed in the Oratory of S. *Mary*, in *Via lata*. At (a) *Aspra* in *Cilicia* of S. *Marinus* an old Man, who vnder *Diocletian* Emperour and

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zarbu

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Liſias Preſident being whipped, racked and cruelly tormented, at laſt caſt vnto the beaſts, ended his life. Alſo of the holy Martyrs *Eleutherius* and *Leonides*, who by the fyre, accomplished their Martyrdome. In *Perſia* of S. *Hormiſda* Martyr, vnder King *Saporel*. At *Cyzicus* in *Helleſpont* of S. *Amphilochius* Biſhop, who hauing ſuffered much for the worſhip of holy Images, vnder *Leo* the Emperour, at laſt ended his lyfe in baniſhment. In *Candia* of S. *Myro* Biſhop, renowned for miracles. At *Vienne* in *France* of S. *Seuerus* Prieſt and Confeſſor, who taking vpon him a long and paynefull peregrination from *India*, to preach the Ghoſpell in *France*, and comming to the foreſayd Citty, conuerted there a great multitude of Pagans, to the fayth of Chriſt by his doctrine and miracles.

D *The nynth Day.*

THe Vigill of S. *Laurence* Martyr. At *Rome* of S. *Romanus* a Souldier, who greatly mooued with the torments of S. *Laurence*, deſired to be baptized by him; for which cauſe being forthwith accuſed, and beaten with cudgels, was finally beheaded. In *Tuſcany* the birth-day of the holy Mar-

tyrs

Secundianus, *Marcellianus*, and *Verianus*, in the tyme of *Decius* being first whip- by *Promotus* Consull, and then racked the torture *Equuleus*, torne with iron ... & their sides cruelly scorched with at last beheaded, deserued the tryum- palme of Martyrdome. At *Verona* of holy Martyrs *Firmus* and *Rusticus* in the of *Maximianus* Emperour. In *Affrica*, Commemoration of many holy Mar- who in the persecution of *Valeria* being encouraged by S. *Nauiditus* were into the fyre, and so obtayned tryum- palmes. But *Nauiditus* although him- was cast also into the fyre with the and ouerwhelmed with stones, yet be- digged out by his owne daughter, and d halfe alyue, was cured; and after- deserued for his vertue, to be admitted *Cyprian*, for a Priest of the Church of age. At *Constantinople* of the holy Mar- *ulian*, *Marcian*, and eight others, who etting vp our Sauiours Image, at the n Gate, by commaundment of wicked he Emperour, after many torments, beheaded. At (a) *Chaalon* in *Franck* of *omitian* Bishop and Confessor.

a Cat launu

AT *Rome* in the way *Tiburtina*, birth-day of S. *Laurence* Archde: who in the perſecution of *Valerianus* he had endured many torments for Ch beating with ſcorpious, cudgels, wit den whippes, & burning with fiery p at laſt broyled vpon a gridiron, acco ſhed his Martyrdome: whoſe body w ried by Bleſſed *Hippolytus*, & *Iuſtinus* P in the Churchyard of *Cyriaca*, in the *Verano*. Alſo at *Rome* the paſſion of one dred, threeſcore, and fiue holy Soul Martyrs, vnder *Aurelianus* Emperour.

Bergamum *Bergamo* of S. *Aſteria*, virgin and Marty the perſecution of *Diocletian* and *Max* Emperours. At *Alexandria* the Comm ration of many holy Martyrs, who i perſecution of *Valerian*, vnder *Aemi* Preſident, hauing byn long afflicted ſundry and exquiſite torments, at laſt b uers kinds of death, obteyned the cr of Martyrdome. At *Carthage* of the virgins and Martyrs *Baſſa*, *Paula*, and *honica*. At *Rome* of S. *Deus-dedit* Conf *who* euery Saturday gaue vnto the p *whatſoeuer he gayned, by the labour ds, all the weeke.*

F *The eleauenth Day.*

AT *Rome*, betweene the two Bay-trees, the birth-day of S. *Tyburtius* Martyr, who vnder *Fabianus* Iudge, in the perſecution of *Diocletian*, being forced to walke barefoote vpon hoat burning coles, confeſſing Chriſt with greater conſtancy, was by the ſame Iudge commaunded to be lead three myles out of the Citty, and there beheaded. Alſo at *Rome* of S. *Suſanna* Virgin who deſcended of a noble parentage, and necce to *Caius* Pope, being beheaded in the tyme of *Diocletian*, deſerued the triumphant palme of Martyrdome. At *Comana* in *Ponius* of Saint *Alexander* Biſhop, ſurnamed *Carbonarius*, who of a moſt learned Philoſopher, hauing attayned to the eminent knowledge of Chriſtian Humility, was by S. *Gregory Thaumaturgus* aduanced to the Sea of that Church, where famous for preaching, at laſt accompliſhed his Martyrdome by the fyre. The ſame day the paſſion of S. *Ruffinus* Biſhop of the *Marſi* in *Italy*, & his fellowes, vnder *Maximinus* Emperour. At (a) *Eureux* in *France* of S. *Taurinus*, who being ordayned Biſhop of that Citty by S. *Clement* Pope, greatly dilated the Chriſtian

a Ebor cum.

same day S. *Concordia* his Nurse, who be
beaten before him with leaden whip
wēt vnto our Lord, togeather with ny
ten others of his house, who were bel
ded without the gate *Tiburtina*, and bu
with him, in the field *Verano*. At (a) I
the birth-day of S. *Cassianus* Martyr,
for refusing to worship Idolls, was c
maunded to be killed with penknife
his owne schollers, to whome he was n
hatefull for teaching them; whose stre
how much the weaker it was, so n
more grieuous was the payne of his
tyrdome by a lingring death. At (b) T
S. *Cassianus* Bishop and Martyr, vnde
clecian Emperour. At *Burgos* in *Spayne* c
Saints *Centolla* and *Helena* Martyrs. At
Stantinople of S. *Maximus* Monke, renov
for doctrine, and zeale of the Catho
fayth, who for valiantly oppugnin
Monothelits, hauing his hands cut off
tongue plucked out by *Constans* the H
ticall Emperour, was finally banishec
Chersonesus, & there ended his lyfe. At
tyme also two of his Disciples, both c
Anastasius, with many others endured c
grieuous torments, and banishment
Germany of S. *Wigbert* Priest and Co
sour. At (c) Poitiers of S. Radegundes Qu

a Forum Syllæ.

b Tudertum.

c Pictauium.

vned for Sanctimony of life, and mi-

B *The fourtenth Day.*

HE Vigill of the Assumption of the
blessed Virgin *Mary*. At *Rome* the
day of S. *Eusebius* Priest, who for de-
ng the Catholique fayth, being shut
a Chamber of his owne house, by
aundement of *Constantius* the *Arian*
rour, and there perseuering constant-
ren moneths togeather in prayer,
o rest in our Lord: whose body *Gre-*
Orosius Priests buryed in the Church-
f *Callistus*, in the way *Appia*. In (a)
ia of S. *Vrsicius* Martyr, who vnder
anus Emperour, and *Aristides* Presi-
after many bitter torments endured
Name of Christ, was beheaded. In
of S. *Demetrius* Martyr. At *Apamea* in
of S. *Marcellus* Bishop and Martyr,
ulling downe the Temple of *Iupi-*
s killed by the furious Gentills. At
i of S. *Callistus* Bishop and Martyr.
Iland *Ægina*, of S. *Athanasia* Wid-
enowned for monasticall discipline,
ace of miracles.

a Illir.

C *The fifteenth Day.*

THE Aſſumption of the moſt holy Mother of God, the Virgin *Mary*. At *Rome* in the way *Appia*, of S. *Tharſicius* Acolyte, who being apprehended by the Paynims, as he was carriyng the holy Sacrament of Chriſtes body, & examined what he carried; He iudging it an vnworthy thing to caſt pearles vnto ſwyne, was ſo long beaten by them with cudgels and ſtones vntill he gaue vp the Ghoſt; who running & ſearching his body in euery place, no part of the holy Sacrament, neyther in his hands, nor garments, could be found. The Chriſtians taking vp his body, honourably enterred the ſame in the Churchyard of *Calliſtus*. At *Tagaſta* in *Affrica* of S. *Alipius* Biſhop, who hauing byn ſometyme ſcholler to S. *Auguſtine*, and afterwards cõpanion with him in his conuerſion, was made worthy alſo of his fellowſhip, in his Paſtorall function, and famous combats againſt Heretiques, and finally his partaker in celeſtiall glory. At (a) *Soiſſons* in *France* of S. *Arnulphus* Biſhop and Confeſſor.

(a) Sueſſio

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D *The ſixtenth Day.*

T *Rome* of S. *Titus* Deacon, who
, when the Citty was taken by the
s, for diſtributing his money to the
e, by commaundment of a barbarous
une, was killed. At *Nice* in *Bithynia* of
medes Phiſitian, who in the perſecu-
of *Diocletian*, for the fayth of Chriſt be-
eheaded, accompliſhed his Martyr-
e. Alſo the ſame day of thirty three ho-
artyrs. At (a) *Fiorentino* in *Campania* of a Fer
broſe Centurion, who in the perſecu- tinum
of *Diocletian* being diuers wayes tor-
ed, and alſo caſt into the fyre without
was finally drowned, and ſo brought
the place of reſt. At *Millan* the depo-
of S. *Simplicianus* Biſhop. At *Auxerre*
Eleutherius Biſhop. At *Nicomedia* of S.
us Cõfeſſor, who being a ſouldier vn-
icinius the Perſecutour, became an her-
e was ſo potent in working miracles,
he is ſaid to haue dryuen out diuels by
prayers, as alſo to haue killed a huge
gon: And finally foretelling the de-
ion of that Citty, which ſhortly after
o happen, in prayer gaue vp his ſoule
d. At *Cracouia* in *Polonia* of S. Hyacin-

thus Cõfeſſour of the Order of S. *Dom*
who was canonized for a Saint by *Po*
ment the eight. At(b) *Montpelier* in *Prou*
France the depoſitiõ of *S. Rochus* Con
who by the ſigne of the Croſſe, del
many Cittyes in *Italy* from the plagu
body was afterward tranſlated to *Ve*
Rome of S. *Serena* ſometyme wife to
tian the Emperour.

E *The ſeauententh Day.*

THE Octaue of S. *Laurence* Mart
Carthage in *Affrica* of the holy M
Liberatus Abbot, *Bonifacius* Deacon, *Se*
Ruſticus Subdeacons, *Rogatus* and *S*
Monkes, and *Maximus* a boy, who
perſecution of the *Vandalls*, vnder
Hunnericus, for the confeſſion of the C
lique fayth, and defence of one onl
ptiſme, being put to diuers moſt cr
vnheard of torments, at length nayle
the wood wherwith they were to b
ned, and the fyre oftentymes kindle
alwayes put out againe by the pov
God, were finally by his commaun
brayned to death with Oars, and ſo
ned a glorious Crowne of reward by
tyrdome. At *Cæſarea* in Cappadocia the

y of S. *Mamas* Martyr, who from his ildhood to his old age, hauing endured ong Martyrdome, at length in the tyme *Aurelianus* Emperour, and *Alexander* Presi- nt happily finished the same. Whose at praises S. *Basill*, and *S. Gregory Nazian-* haue left written. In *Achaia* of S. *Myron* iest and Martyr, who vnder *Decius* Em- our, and *Antipater* President, after many ments, was beheaded at *Cyzicus*. At *Ni- edia* of the holy Martyrs *Strato*, *Philip*, & *ychian*, who condemned to the beasts, & t touched by them, accomplished their rryrdome by fire. At *Ptolemais* in *Pale- e* of the holy Martyrs *Paul*, and *Iuliana* sister, who suffered vnder *Valerianus*. At *Teramo* of S. *Anastasius* Bishop, & Con- sour. a Inte anna

F *The eighteenth Day.*

AT (a) *Palestrina* the birth-day of S. *A- gapitus* Martyr, who being but fifteen ires of age, and feruent in the loue of rist, was apprehended by commaund- nt of *Aurelianus* Emperour, and cruelly ipped with raw sinewes; but afterward der *Antiochus* Gouernour enduring more uous torments, and cast also vnto the a Fra stc.

Lyons,

Lyons, without any hurt, was fin
headed, and ſo crowned. At *Rom*
Saints *Iohn* and *Criſpus* Prieſts, wh
perſecution of *Diocletian*, very caref
terred many bodies of Saints; t
merits themſelues being afterward
ted, deſerued the ioyes of etern
There alſo of the holy Martyrs *He*
rapion, and *Polyænus*, who being
through narrow, ſtony, and craggy
gaue vp their ſoules to God. In *Scl*
the holy Martyrs *Florus*, and *Lau*
uers in ſtone, whoſe maiſters *Procul*
ximus being firſt martyred, vnder *Li*
ſidēt, after many torments, themſel
drowned in a deep Well. At *Myra*
ietz. of the holy Martyrs *Leo* and *Iulian*
Metz in *France*, of S. *Firminus* Bi
Confeſſor. At *Rome* in the way cal
cana, of S. *Helen* Mother to the m
Emperour, *Conſtantine* the Great, w
the firſt example to other Princes, t
tayne, and amplify the holy Churc

G *The nyneteenth Day.*

AT *Rome* of S. *Iulius* Senatour
tyr, who deliuered vnto *Vite*
ge, and by him thruſt into pryſon

maundment of *Commodus* the Emperour, was ſo long beaten with cudgels, vntill he gaue vp the Ghoſt. His body was buryed in the Churchyard of *Calepodius*, in the way called *Aurelia*. In *Cilicia* the birth-day of S. *Andrew* Coronell, and his fellow-ſouldiers, who hauing obtayned a miraculous victory againſt the *Perſians*, were therby cõuerted to the fayth of Chriſt; for which cauſe being accuſed to *Maximianus* Emperor, they were killed by the army of *Seleucus* Preſident, in the ſtraytes of the Mountaine *Taurus*. In *Paleſtine* of S. *Timothy* Martyr, who in the perſecution of *Diocletian*, vnder *Vrbanus* Preſident, after he had ouercome many torments, was burned with a ſlow fyre. There alſo ſuffered in the ſame place *Tecla*, and *Agapius*; of whome, *Tecla* being caſt vnto the beaſts, and torne in peeces with their teeth, went to her heauenly ſpouſe: But *Agapius* after he had endured many torments, his death was differred to a greater Combat. At *Anagnia* of S. *Magnus* Biſhop and Martyr, who was killed in the perſecution of *Decius*. In the Caſtle of (a) *Brimoigne* in *Prouence* of *France*, of S. *Lewis* Biſhop of *Toloſa*, renowned for holines of life and miracles, whoſe body being tranſlated to *Marſeille*, lyeth honourably enterred there, in the

(a) Ita.

the Church of the *Franciscans*. At
village in *France*, of S. *Donatus* Pr
Confessour, who euen from his
endued with wonderfull graces, &
from God, became an Anchoret,
nally renowned for miracles wer
our Lord. In the territory of (b) B
S. *Marianus* Confessor. At *Mantua* o
finus Confessor.

b Bituricæ.

A *The twentith Day.*

IN the Territory of (a) *Langres* th
sition of *S. Bernard*, the first A
Clarenallis, renowned for sanctity of
ctrine, and miracles. In *Iury* of S.
Prophet, whose holy reliques (as
S. *Hierome*) were translated to *Con*
ple by *Arcadius* Emperor, & there he
bly placed in a Church, neere to th
Septimus. The same day of *S. Lucia*
tour, who by seing the constancy
dorus Bishop of *Cyrene* at his Marty
was couerted to the fayth of Christ
unto he also brought *Dignianus* the

a Lingones.

straight beheaded, deserued the crowne of Martyrdome. In *Thracia* of thirty seauen holy Martyrs, who vnder *Appellianus* President, hauing their hands and feete cut off for the fayth of Christ, were finally cast into a burning fornace. Also of the holy Martyrs *Seuerus*, and *Memnon* a Centurion, who by one, and the same kind of death, went both Conquerors to heauen. At *Cordoua* of the holy Martyrs *Leouigildus*, and *Christopher* Monkes, who in the persecution of the Arabians being cast into prysoñ for defence of the Christian fayth, were beheaded, and their bodies burned. At *Rome* of S. *Porphyrius* a holy man, who instructed *S. Agapitus* the Martyr in the fayth, and doctrine of Christ. In the Iland *Herion*, of S. *Philibert* Abbot. At *Alba* in *Hungarie*, of S. *Stephen* King, who endued with diuine graces, first conuerted the *Hungarians* to the fayth of Christ. In the Castle of *Chinon* of *S. Maximus* Confessour, disciple of S. *Martin* Bishop.

B *The one and twentith Day.*

AT *Rome* in the Field *Verano*, of S. *Cyriaca* widdow and Martyr, who in the persecution of *Valerianus* when she had long employed herselfe, and all her sub-

stance

ly endure Martyrdome, and ther
uerted to the fayth, was for the fa
death by *Aurelianus* Emperour, an
a Martyr to our Lord. In *Sardinia* t
day of the holy Martyrs *Luxorius*,
Camerinus, who in the perſecution
tian, vnder *Delphius* Preſident we
a Gamalira. ded. In the territory of (a)*Vicarez*
natus Biſhop and Martyr, who ſu
the perſecution of *Valerian* and
The ſame day of the holy Martyr
and *Maximianus*. At *Fundi* in *Italy*
ternus, who comming from *Alex*
Rome, to viſit the Apoſtles ſepulch
thence retiring himſelf neere to *Fu*
he had buried the bodies of many
apprehended by the Tribune, dyed

ia of S. *Euprepius* Biſhop and Con-
Alſo of S. *Quadratus* Biſhop.

The two and twentith Day.

E Octaue of the Aſſumption of the
leſſed Virgin *Mary*. At *Rome* in the
Oſtia, the birth-day of *S. Timothy*
, who apprehended by *Tarquinius*
iour of the Citty, and pined with
mpryſonment, for refuſing to ſacri-
to Idolls, being three tymes whip-
id otherwiſe grieuouſly tormented,
laſt beheaded. At (a) *Porto* of S. *Hip-* a Portu
Biſhop, greatly renowned for do- Roma-
who vnder *Alexander* the Emperour, nus.
worthy confeſſion of his fayth, tyed
nd foote, and caſt headlong into a
ditch, full of water, receaued the
e of Martyrdome: whoſe body was
by the Chriſtians, in the ſame place.
Auſtum of S. *Symphorianus* Martyr, b Aug
n the tyme of *Aurelianus* Emperour, ſtodun
ſing alſo to ſacrifyce vnto Idols, be-
t ſore whipped, and after caſt into
, at laſt beheaded accompliſhed his
dome. At *Rome* of *S. Antoninus* Mar-
who for freely profeſſing himſelf a
an, was condemned to be beheaded

by

Eutholomius Preſident. At *Tha*
Martyrs S. *Athanaſius* Biſhop,
a Noble Woman whome he
and of two of her ſeruants,
vnder *Valerianus* Emperour
the holy Martyrs *Mauryus*, an
In *Spayne* of the holy Martyr
Philibert. At *Pauia* of S. *Gunif*

D *The three and twe*

THE Vigill of S. *Barthol*
At *Antioch* the birth-da
Martyrs *Reſtitutus*, *Donatus*, *V*
Auoſa, with twelue others
crowned with the honour
nowned Martyrdome. At *O*

others, who being accuſed by their ſtep-
ther to be Chriſtians, vnder *Diocletian*
perour, and *Liſias* Preſident, after many
er torments, nayled to a Croſſe, went
mphantly to Chriſt. There ſuffered
after them *Donatina*, and *Theonilla*. At
nes in *France* the birth-day of the Saints
othy and *Apollinaris*, who by ſuffering
tyrdome, deſerued the kingdome of
ven. At *Lyons* of the holy Martyrs *Mi-*
us, and *Eleazarus*, with his eight Son-
Alſo of S. *Luppus* Martyr, who from a
ile condition, being made partaker of
iſtian liberty, was honoured alſo with
crowne of Martyrdome. At *Hieruſalē* of
. *Zacchæus* Biſhop, who gouerned the
rch of *Hieruſalem* the fourth after S. *Ia-*
the Apoſtle. At *Alexandria* of S. *Thomas*
op and Confeſſor. At *Vtica* in *Affricke*
. *Victor* Biſhop. At (a) *Auſtum* of S. *Fla-*
us Biſhop. At (b) *Auuergne* of S. *Sidonius*
op, famous for doctrine and holines
e. At (c) *Todi* of Bleſſed *Philip*, Foun-
of the Order of the *Seruants* of the Bleſ-
Virgin *Mary*.

a Auguſtoduni
b Arueruum.
c Tudertum.

E *The foure and twentith Day.*

OF Saint *Bartholomew* Apoſtle, who hauing preached the Ghoſpell of Chriſt in *India*, & paſſing thence into the Higher *Armenia*, after he had there conuerted many to the fayth, was firſt by the barbarous people fleaed aliue; and then commanded, by *Aſtyages* the Kings Brother, to be beheaded, accompliſhed his Martyrdome. His holy body being brought firſt to the Iland of *Lipara*, was afterward tranſlated to *Beneuento*, and laſtly to *Rome*, where the ſame is greatly honoured in the Iland of *Tiber* by the faythfull people. At *Carthage* of three hundred holy Martyrs, in the dayes of *Valerian* and *Gallienus*, who amongſt other torments, when the Preſident had commanded them to be brought to a burning Limekill, and coles and frankincenſe to be brought alſo to his preſence, he ſayd vnto thē: Chooſe one of theſe two, Eyther offer incenſe vpon theſe coles to *Iupiter*, or caſt your ſelues into the burning lyme; they being armed with fayth, and confeſſing Chriſt to be the Sonne of God, with great ſpeed caſt themſelues into the fyre; where amongſt the ſmoke, and vapours of the

lyme,

e, they were ſoone turned into duſt;
:rby, that pure troupe of Saints, deſer-
to be called *Meſſa Candida*. At *Oſtia* of S.
's Virgin & Martyr, who hauing a great
e tyed to her necke, was drowned in
ſea. Her body being caſt vpon the
e, was buryed by S. *Nonnus*. In *Iſauria*
. *Tarſon* Martyr, who in the perſecution
ocletian vnder *Vrbanus* Preſident, being
raded, receaued the crowne of Martyr-
e. The ſame day of *S. Euſebius* diſci-
of S. *Iohn* the Euangeliſt, who hauing
ched the ghoſpel in many Countryes,
alſo endured both impryſonment,
pping, and fyre, at laſt went to reſt in
:s. Alſo of S. *George*, ſurnamed *Limniote*,
ike, who for reprehending the wicked
perour *Leo* for breaking of holy Ima-
and burning the Reliques of Saintes,
ing his hands cut off, and head burnt
is commandement, accompliſhed his
tyrdome. At *Roan* of S. *Owen* Biſhop
Confeſſor. At *Neuers* of S. *Patricius* Ab-

F *The fiue and twentith Day.*

T *Paris* of S. *Lewis* Confeſſor, and
King of *France*, renowned for holi-

Chriſt, were ſo long beaten
whippes, till they all gaue vp
Alſo at *Rome* of *S. Geneſius* a Ie
a tyme vpon the ſtage, in pr
cletian the Emperour, ſcoffin
ſteryes of Chriſtians, being
Gods holy inſpiration, con
fayth and baptized, was forth
maundment of the ſaid Emp
beaten with cudgels, long rac
torture *Equuleus*, torne with e
burned with torches, and
conſtant in his fayth, ſaying
King but Chriſt, for whome
a thouſand tymes, you ſhall
take him from my mouth,
being beheaded, deſerued

cords, and profeſſing himſelf to be a
an, was apprehended, and forth-
eheaded; & ſo being baptized in his
oloud, obteyned the glory of Mar-
ie. At (a) *Italica* in *Spayne* of S. *Gerun-* a Hiſpa-
hop, who in the tyme of the Apo- lis ve-
eaching the Goſpell of Chriſt in tus.
ouince, after many labours, died in
. In *Syria* of *S. Iulian* Martyr. At *Tar-*
of *S. Maginus* Martyr. At *Conſtantinople*
ennas Biſhop. At *Maeſtricht* of S. *Gre-*
hop. At *Naples* of *S. Patricia* Virgin.

The ſix and twentith Day.

' *Rome* of S. *Zepherin* Pope and Mar-
r. There alſo of the holy Martyrs
nd *Abundius*, who in the perſecution
ian for taking the body of S. *Concor-*
of a Priuy, were themſelues caſt in-
me, and drowned: whoſe bodies
lrawen out by *Iuſtinus* a Prieſt, were
in a Caue neere to S. *Laurence*. At
miglia a Citty in *Liguria*, of S. *Secun-* a Aloin-
tyr, a man of great renowne, and timeliſ.
ne of the *Theban* Legion. At *Berga-*
mbardy of S. *Alexander* Martyr, who
lſo one of the ſame Legion, for the
t confeſſion of the name of Chriſt

being beheaded, accompliſhed hi
dome. At *Nicomedia* the paſſion of
Sonne to *Probus* Emperour, wh
uing *Licinius* for the perſecutio
rayſed againſt the Chriſtians, w
commaundment killed. His bod
ried at *Agyropolis* by his Vncle *D*
ſhop of *Bizantium*. In *Speyne* of S.
tyr, who being ſlaine by the Mo
fayth of Chriſt, obtayned a crow
tyrdome. At *Capua* of *S. Rufinus* B
Confeſſor. At *Piſtoria* of S. *Felix*
Confeſſor.

A *The ſeauen and twentit*

AT *Capua* in *Campania* the bi
S. *Rufus* Biſhop and Mar
being a Senator was baptized b
narij diſciple of *S. Peter*, togeathe
his family. There alſo of the hol
Rufus and *Carpophorus*, who vn
tian and *Maximian* ſuffered Marty
Tomis in *Pontus* of the holy Marty
linus Tribune, and his wife *Ma*
his ſonnes *Iohn*, *Serapion*, and *P*
Lentini in *Sicily* of S. *Euthalia* Vi
for being a Chriſtian, was by
brother *Sermilianus* killed by th

a Leontinum.

vnto her Spouſe. The ſame day,
on of S. *Anthuſa* the yonger, who
yth of Chriſt being drowned in a
eaued the palme of Martyrdome.
vo of S. *Narnus*, who being bapti-
Barnaby, was by him ordained the
op of that Citty. At (b) *Arles* of S.
biſhop, a man of wonderfull ho-
piety. At (c) *Auſtum* of S. *Siagrius*
nd Confeſſour. At *Pauia* of *S. Iohn*
At (d) *Lerida* in *Spayne* of S. *Licerius*
In *Thebais* of S. *Pæmon* Anchoret.
n-Seuerino in *Marc-Ancona*, of S.
widdow.

b Arelate.
c Augustodunū.
d Ilerda.
e Septēpeda.

The eight and twentith Day.

Ippo-Regius in *Affrica* the birth-day
S. *Auguſtine* Biſhop, and famous
f the Church, who being conuer-
Ambroſe to the Catholique fayth,
im baptized, defended the ſame
tly againſt the *Manichees*, & other
es. And after many other labours
for the Church of God, went fi-
leauē for his reward. Whoſe Re-
re conueyed from his owne Cit-
Sardinia for feare of the barbarous
id afterward by Luitprandus King

Ticſ-
am. of the *Lombards*, tranſlated to (a)
where they are ſtill honourably k
Rome the birth-day of S. *Hermes* a
man, who (as we read in the acts o
ſed *Alexander* pope) being firſt caſt in
ſo, was afterward with many other
by the ſword, and ſo accompliſhed hi
tyrdome, vnder *Aurelianus* Iudge.

iuas. *Brioude* in *Auuergne*, the paſſion of S.
Martyr, who being companion to *S.*
lus Tribune, and ſecretly ſeruing Ch
a ſouldiers habit, was apprehended
perſecution of *Diocletian*, and haui
on. throat cut, dyed a cruell death. At (
ia. *tances* in *France* of S. *Pelagius* Martyr
vnder *Numerianus* Emperour, and E
Iudge, receaued the crowne of M
dome. At *Salerno* of the holy Martyrs
natus, *Caius*, and *Anthes*, who were beh
vnder *Diocletian* Emperour, and *L*
Proconſul. At *Conſtantinople* of S. *Al*
Biſhop, a renowned old man, by
prayers *Arius* the Hereticke, condemn
the Iudgement of God, burſt in the
deſt, and voyded forth his bowells.

anto- *Saints* of S. *Viuianus* Biſhop. Alſo of S
ſes an Æthiopian, who of a famous
became an Anchoret, & conuerting
theeues, brought them to his Mona

The nyne and twentith Day.

[E Decollation of *Saint Iohn Baptist*, /home *Herod*, about the feast of Ea- ıeaded; though his memory be kept ;day with great solemnity, when his able Head, was found the second which being afterward translated to s there kept with great deuotion of ople; in the Church of S. *Syluester*, vnto *Campus Martius*. At *Rome* in the : *Auentine*, the birth-day of S. *Sabina* r, who being beheaded vnder *Ha-* ;mperour obteyned the Crowne of dome. Also at *Rome* of S. *Candida* and Martyr, whose holy body Pope s the first, translated to the Church *raxedes*. At *Antioch* in *Syria* the birth- the holy Martyrs *Nicaas* and *Paulus*. *stantinople* of the holy Martyrs *Hipa-* *Asian* Bishop, and *Andrew* Priest, who worshipping of holy Images, vnder *ricus*, hauing their beards besmeared itch, and after set on fyre, and the their heads plucked of, were finally At *Perugia* of S. *Euthymius* a Roman, ying the persecution of *Diocletian*; ıer his wyfe, & *Crescentius* his sonne.

there

ry of *Troys* of S. *Sabina* Virgin, fen
vertue and miracles.

D *The thirtith Day*

AT *Rome* in the way to *Ostia*
sion of S. *Felix* Priest, vnde
and *Maximian* Emperours, wh
endured the torture of *Equaleus*,
demned to death, as he was lead
tion, being met by a certaine man
fessed himself a Christian, was for
forthwith beheaded with him. T
name the Christians not knowin
him *Adauctus*, because he was ad
Felix, as partaker of his Crown
Rome of S. *Gaudentia* Virgin an

les, all holy Martyrs. At *Theſſalonica* of S. *Lucianus* Confeſſour, who enduring many afflictions by the *Saracens*, and dryuen out of his Monaſtery, where he lined in great holinesse; after he had brought many to the true fayth, reſted at laſt in a good old age. In the territory of (b) *Meaux* of S. *Fiacre* Confeſſour. At *Bolonia* of S. *Bononius* Abbot. b]

E *The one and thirtith Day.*

AT *Treuers* the birth-day of S. *Paulinus* Biſhop, who in the tyme of the *Arian* troubles, being banished for the Catholique fayth by *Conſtantius* the *Arian* Emperour, & euen, beyond the name of Chriſtendome, wearyed out vnto death with change of banniſhments, at laſt dying in *Phrygia*, receaued of our Lord the Crowne of his bleſſed paſſion. Alſo of the holy Martyrs *Robuſtianus* and *Marcus*. At *Tranſaqua* in *Italy*, neere to the Lake of (a) *Roſsiglion*, the birth-day of the holy Martyrs *Ceſidius* Prieſt, and his fellowes, who in the perſecution of *Maximinus*, were crowned with Martyrdome. At *Cæſarea* in *Cappadocia* of the Saints *Theodotus*, *Ruffina*, and *Ammia*, of whome, the two firſt were parents to *Mamas the Martyr* that was borne in pryſon, & a] nu

Ammia

perour, wherein he manifeſtly pr
that Chriſt IESVS was the one
God. At (b) *Auxerre* of S. *Optatus* Bi
Confeſſour. In *England* of S. *Aidan*
of *Lindisfarne*, whoſe ſoule when S.
being then a Sheepheard, ſaw carr
to heauen, forſaking his ſheep, be
Monke. At (c) *Noſca* of S. *Amatus* Biſ

b Anti-
ſiodorē.

c Nuſ-
cūm.

THE
[M]ONETH
[O]F SEPTEMBER.

F *The firſt Day.*

IN *Prouence* of *France*, of S. *Giles* Abbot & Confeſſour. At *Beneuento* of twelue holy Martyrs Brothers. In *Paleſtine* of the Saints *Ioſue* and *Gedeon*. At *Hieruſalem* of S. [P]ropheteſſe, whoſe Sanctimony the [G]hoſpell relateth. At *Capua* in the [c]alled *Aquaria*, of S. *Priſcus* Martyr, an [e]nt Diſciple of Chriſt. At *Rhemes* in [c]e of S. *Xyſtus* Diſciple of S. *Peter* the A[p]le, who being by him ordained the firſt [b]op of that Citty, vnder Nero [illegible]

gue cut out, and beheaded, acc
his Martyrdome. At *Heraclea* of
Deacon, and fourty holy Virgi
he instructed in the fayth, who
nius the Tyrant, togeather with
ceaued the glory of Martyrdome.
of the holy Martyrs *Vincentius* an
Populonia in *Tuscany* of S. *Regulu*
who comming thither out of *Affr*
b Senones. *Totilas* accomplished his Martyrd
Sans of S. *Lupus* Bishop and Co
whome it is recorded, that on
day, whilst in presence of the
he sayd Masse at the Altar, there
heauen a Iewell, into his holy C
so at *Capua* of another *Priscus* Bish

h and diſcipline. His fellowes were *renſis*, *Tammarus*, *Roſius*, *Heraclius*, *Secun-*
s, *Adiutor*, *Marcus*, *Auguſtus*, *Elpidius*, *Ca-*
, and *Vindonius*. At *Aquino* of S. *Conſtan-*
Biſhop, famous for the guift of Prophe-
and many other Vertues. At (c) *Mans* c Cen
S. *Victorius* Biſhop. In the Territory of manum
ſtance at *Aqua-dura*, of S. *Verena* Virgin.

G *The ſecond Day.*

AT *Rome* of S. *Maxima* Martyr, who togeather with S. *Anſanus*, for confeſ-
g of Chriſt, in the perſecution of *Diocle-*
being beaten with cudgels, gaue vp
Ghoſt. At(a) *Pamiers* in *Erance* of S. *An-* a Pamia
nus Martyr; whoſe reliques are kept
th great veneration in the Church at
entia. Alſo of the holy Martyrs *Diomedes*,
ian, *Philip*, *Eutychianus*, *Heſychius*, *Leonides*,
ladelphus, *Menalippus*, and *Pantagapas*, of
nome ſome by fyre, ſome by water, o-
rs by the ſword, and Croſſe, accompli-
d their Martyrdome. At *Nicomedia* of the
y Martyrs *Zeno*, and of *Concerdius* and
oderus his Sonnes. The ſame day the
ſion of the Saints *Euodius*, *Hermogenes*, &
ſſias brothers. At *Lyons* in *Erance* the
th-day of *S. Iuſtus* Biſhop and Confeſ-
tor.

for, renowned for holines of li
of Propheſy. This man reſig
Biſhopricke, and with-drawi
togeather with *Viator* his Lecte
wildernes of *Aegypt*, after he h
yeares lead there an Angelicall
vnto our Lord, to receaue the
Reward, vpon the fourteenth da
whoſe holy body, togeather w
ques of Bleſſed *Viator* his *Lector*
day brought vnto *Lyons*. Ther
Elpidius Biſhop & Confeſſour. A
Ancona of another *Elpidius* Abb
holy body, with great deuotio
a towne of his owne Name. I
Soracles, of *S. Nonnoſus* Abbot,
prayers remoued a mighty grea
ſides many other miracles.

A *The third Day.*

AT *Rome* of *S. Serapia* V
vnder *Hadrian* Emperour
uered ouer vnto two laſciuious
and could not be corrupted by
yet burned with flaming torch
maundment of *Berillus* Iudge,
cudgels, was laſtly beheaded.
vpon the twenty ninth day

as enterred by *S. Sabina*, in a monument hers, ioyning to the place of buriall called *dician*, but her memory is kept more ſo- nnly on this day, when both their Sepul- ers were finiſhed, adorned, and the place elſe dedicated to God for prayer. At *Co- th* the birth-day of S. *Phœbes*, of whome *Paul* the Apoſtle writing to the *Romans* ıketh mention. At *Aquileia* of the holy gins and Martyrs *Euphemia*, *Dorothy*, *Tecla* d *Eraſma*, who vnder *Nero*, after many ments, were beheaded, and buried by S. *rmagoras*. At *Capua* of the holy Martyrs *ſteus* Biſhop, and *Antoninus* a youth. At *comedia* the paſſion of S. *Baſiliſſa* virgin d Martyr, who being but nyne yeares of e, in the perſecution of *Diocletian*, vnder *xander* Preſident, hauing by the power of d, ouercome ſtrypes, fyre, and the beaſts, ıdred vp her pure ſoule in prayer. Al- of the holy Martyrs *Zeno* and *Chariton*, whome the one was caſt into a caldrone boyling lead, the other into a burning nace. At *Cardona* of S. *Sandalus* Martyr. e ſame day of the holy Martyrs *Aigulphus* bot of *Lerina*, and of his fellows monkes, ıo hauing their tongues, and eyes pluc- l out, were at laſt beheaded. At (a) *Toul* *Lorayne* of *S. Manſuetus* Biſhop and Con- a Tullum.

feſſor. At *Millan* the depoſition of S. *A*
Biſhop. The ſame day of S. *Simeon*,
med *Stylita*, the yonger. At *Rome* the
nation of *S. Gregory* the Great, a man
comparable holines, when he was c
Pope; who being compelled to take
him that burden, and ſeated in a
throne, ſpread forth much brighter b
of ſanctity to the world.

B *The fourth Day.*

AT *Mount-Nebo* in the lād of *Moab*
Moyſes the Lawgiuer and Proph
Ancyra in *Galatia* of three holy children
Cabi- *ſinus*, *Siluanus*, & *Vitalicus* Martyrs. At
uaillon in *France* of S. *Marcellus* Martyr
Antoninus Emperour, who being inuit
Priſcus Preſident to an Idolatrous Ban
and deteſting ſuch kind of meates, rep
ded with great liberty all that were p
for worſhipping of Idolls; for which
by an vnheard off kind of cruelty bei
ryed in the ground vp to the gyrdle, a
mayning in that manner three dayes
tinually prayſing God, gaue vp his vt
led ſoule to God. The ſame day of the
Martyrs *Magnus*, *Caſtus*, and *Maxim*
Treuers of *S. Marcellus* Biſhop and M

ne day alſo of Saint *Thameles*, who
e ſometimes an Idolatrous Prieſt,
hers of his followes, martyred vn-
rian the Emperour. Alſo of the holy
; *Theodorus*, *Oceanus*, *Ammianus*, and
who vnder *Maximian* Emperour,
their feete cut off, and caſt into the
compliſhed their Martyrdome. At
ii of S. *Marinus* Deacon. At *Naples* in a Arim
a the birth-day of *S. Candida*, who num.
S. *Peter* comming to that Citty, &
aptized by him, afterward reſted in
d. There alſo of S. *Candida* the yon-
owned for miracles. At *Viterbo* of S.
rgin.

C *The fifth Day.*

Rome in the ſuburbes, of *S. Victorinus*
iſhop and Martyr, renowned for
and miracles, who by election of
eople, was choſen Biſhop of *Ami-*
t afterward vnder *Nerua-Traian*, be-
ſhed, with other ſeruants of God
, where the ſtinking brimſton-wa-
pring forth, was by commaund-
Aurelianus Iudge, hanged vp by the
h his head downeward, which
; had endured for Chriſts ſake three

dayes together, went triumphantly t
ned to our Lord; Whose body was ho
rably buried by the Christians at A
aforsaid. At (a) *Porto* the birthday of S.
nianus Martyr. At *Capua* of the holy
tyrs *Quinctius*, *Arcontius*, and *Donatus*
same day of S. *Romulus* an Officer in t
Court, who for detesting the Emp
cruelty against Christians, being first
ped with roddes, was after beheaded
Meliene in *Armenia* the passion of th
souldiers *Eudoxius*, *Zeno*, *Mutavius*, to
with a thousand one hundred and fi
their fellowes, who casting off the
tary Cincture, in the persecution of
tian were killed for the confession of
At *Constantinople* of the holy Martyr
nus, *Theodorus*, *Menedemus*, and seuenty
more of the Clergy, who by the com
ment of *Valens* Emperour being put i
old ship, were drowned in the sea,
Catholique fayth. At (b) In the *ter*

a Portus Romanus.

untry, lyeth buried neere to the Pro-
ggeus. In *Helleſpont* of S. *Oneſiphorus*
le to the Apoſtles, of whome S. *Paul*
i mention writing to *Timothy*, who
ier with *S. Porphyrius* by commaund-
of *Hadrianus* the Proconſull, being
whipped, and drawne a peeces with
orſes, gaue vp his foule to God. At
ria the paſſion of the holy Martyrs
Prieſt, *Macarius*, and ten more of
ellowes, who vnder *Decius* Empe-
id *Valerius* Preſident being all behea-
the name of Chriſt, accompliſhed
ſlartyrdome. In *Cappadocia* of the ho-
tyrs *Cottidus* Deacon, *Eugenius*, and
ellowes. In *Affrica* of the holy Bi-
Donatianus, *Præſidius*, *Manſuetus*, *Ger-*
and *Fuſculus*, who in the perſecution
vandalls by commaundment of *Hun-*
the *Arian* King, for defence of the
lique Verity, being all moſt cruelly
with cudgels, were afterward ſent
niſhment. Amõgſt whome a Biſhop
lled *Latus*, a worthy & moſt learned
after long and many afflictions en-
in pryſon, was burned. At *Verona* of
nius Biſhop & Confeſſour. At *Rome*
Eleutherius Abbot, a great ſeruant of
whome S. Gregory Pope writeth, to

haue rayſed a dead man to life, by his prayers, and teares.

E *The ſeauenth Day.*

AT *Nicomedia* the birth-day of S. *Iohn* Martyr, who ſeing the cruell Edicts againſt Chriſtians, to hang vp in the Market-place, inflamed with the feruour of fayth, pulled them downe, and tore them in peeces; for which fact, being by commandement of *Diocletian* and *Maximian* Emperours, then reſident in that Citty, put to all kind of cruell torments, endured them with ſuch cheerefulnes of countenance & mind, as he ſeemed not to be any whit moued, or ſadde therefore. At *Cæſarea* in *Cappadocia* of S. *Eupſichius* Martyr, who vnder *Hadrian* Emperour being accuſed for a Chriſtian, was firſt caſt into pryſon; & after a while being deliuered, he ſould his patrimony, and gaue the pryce therof partly to the poore, and partly to his accuſers, as his great benefactors; but after this being apprehended againe, vnder *Sapritius* Iudge torne in peeces, and thruſt through with a ſword accompliſhed his Martyrdome. At *Pompeiopolis* in *Cilicia* S. *Sozontes* Martyr, who vnder Maximianus Emperour being

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towne into the fyre, gaue vp the Ghoſt.
Aquileia of S. *Anaſtaſius* Martyr. In the
ritory of (a) *Auſtum* of S. *Regina* Virgin & a Au
rtyr, who vnder *Olybrius* Proconſul, ha- ſtodu
ig endured impryſonment, the torture
Equuleus and burning with torches, at
t beheaded, went ioyfully to her Spou-
At (b) *Trois* of S. *Nemorius* Deacon, and b Tre
fellowes Martyrs, who were ſlaine by
ilas King of the *Hunnes*. At *Orleans* in
nce the depoſition of S. *Euortius* Biſhop,
io being firſt Subdeacon of the Church
Rome, was by the ſigne of a Doue ſent
m Heauen, ordayned Biſhop of that
ty. In *France* of S. *Auguſtalis* Biſhop and
feſſour. At *Capua* of S. *Pamphilus* Biſhop.
the territory of *Paris* of S. *Clodoaldus*
eſt and Confeſſour.

F *The eyght Day.*

THE Natiuity of the moſt Bleſſed, and
Euer-Virgin *Mary*, the Mother of
l. At *Nicomedia* of S. *Adrian* Martyr,
h three and twenty others, who after
ıy torments vnder *Diocletian* and *Maxi-*
ı Emperours, hauing their thighes bro-
,accompliſhed their Martyrdome, vpon
fourth day of March. Their Reliques

were by the Christians transported t
zantium, & there honourably buried;
whence the body of S. *Adrian* was
this day translated to *Rome*, and hi
chiefly kept. At *Alexandria* of the holy
tyrs *Ammon*, *Theophilus*, *Neoterius*, & t
twenty others. At *Antioch* of the hol
tyrs *Timothy* and *Faustus*. At *Gaza* i
time of the holy Martyrs *Eusebius*, *Nest*
Zeno brothers, who vnder *Iulian* the
state, by a multitude of Pagans vio
oppressing them, were hewed in pe
killed. There also of S. *Nestor* Marty
vnder the same *Iulian*, being by the
rious Gentils most cruelly tormented
vp the Ghost. At *Frisinghen* in *Bauari*
Corbinianus the first Bishop of that
who ordayned by Pope *Gregory* the
and sent thither to preach the Gospe
ped a most plentifull harvest in *Fra*
Germany, and finally adorned with
vertues and miracles, ended his
dayes.

G *The nynth Day.*

AT *Nicomedia* the passion of th
Martyrs *Dorotheus*, and *Gorgonia*
having byn aduanced by Diocletian t

erour to very great Honour, were for de-
sting his cruelly against the Christians,
ommaunded to be first hanged vp in his
esence, and all torne with whippes, then
eir skin to be pulled off, and rubbed ouer
ith salt and vinager, to be broyled vpon a
idiron, and last of all to be strangled to
ath. The Body of S. *Gorgonius* was af-
rward brought to *Rome*, and layed for a
me in the way *Latina*, and thence tran-
ted vnto S. *Peters* Church. In *Sauina*,
irty miles from *Rome*, of the holy Martyrs
acynthus, *Alexander*, and *Tiburtius*. At *Seba-*
s of S. *Seuerianus* a Souldier, vnder *Lici-*
us Emperour, who for often visiting the
urry Martyrs, whilst they were in pry-
n, by commaundment of *Lysias* President
eing hanged vp with a great stone tyed
his feet, & cruelly beaten and torne with
hipps, in middest of his torments gaue
p the Ghost. The same day the passion of
Strato, who for confessing Christ, being
ed to the boughes of two trees, and so
awne in peeces, accomplished his Mar-
rdome. Also of the holy Martyrs *Rufi-*
s and *Rufinianus* Brothers. At *Rome* of S.
rgius Pope and Confessour. In the territo-
of *Teruano*, of S. (a) *Omer* Bishop. In *Scot-*
d of S. *Quaranus* Abbot.

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A *The tenth Day.*

AT *Tolentino* in (a) *Marc-Ancona* poſition of S. *Nicolas* Confeſ the Eremiticall Order of S. *Auguſ* *Affrica* the birth-day of the holy *Nemeſianus, Felix, Lucius,* and anoth *Litteus, Polianus, Victor, Iaderes, Datiu* others, who in the furious perſecut der *Valerian* and *Gallienus,* for their confeſſing of Chriſt, being firſt crue ten with cudgells, then layed in fet appointed to digge in the mettall accompliſhed the agony of their Confeſſion. At *Chalcedon* of the hol tyrs *Soſthenes* & *Victor,* who in the tion of *Diocletian,* vnder *Priſcus* Proc *Aſia,* after they had ouercome im ment, the beaſts, and other torment condemned to be burned; but they ech other with a holy kiſſe, whi prayed, gaue vp the Ghoſt. In *Bit* the holy virgins *Menodora, Metrodo Nymphodora* ſiſters, who vnder *Ma* Emperour, & *Fronto* Preſident were ned with Martyrdome. Alſo of t *Martyrs Apellius, Lucas* and *Clemens.* *in the lower Germany* of S. Theod

hd Martyr, who gaue his life for his
, and after his death became renow-
r miracles. At *Rome* of Saint *Hilarius*
& Cõteſſour. At *Compoſtella* in *Spaine*,
Peter Biſhop, renowned for many
:s and miracles. In the Citty of (b) b All
1 *France*, of S. *Saluius* Biſhop & Con- ga
At *Nouara* of S. *Agapius* Biſhop. At
ntinople of S. *Pulcheria* Empreſſe, re-
ied for Religion and Piety.

B. *The elcauenth Day.*

T *Rome*, in the old way of *Salaria*, in
the Churchyard of *Baſilla*, the birth-
f the holy Martyrs *Protus* and *Hyacin-*
unuches to bleſſed *Eugenia*, who vn-
illienus Emperour, being accuſed for
tians, and refuſing to ſacrifyce vnto
s, were firſt ſore whipped, and after-
beheaded. At *Laodicea* in *Syria*, the
m of the Saints *Diodorus*, *Diomedes*, and
us. At (a) *Leon* in Spayne of S. *Vincent* a L
r and Martyr. In *Aegypt* of S. *Paphnu-*
iſhop, who was one of thoſe Confeſ-
which vnder *Maximianus* Emperour,
g their right eye pulled out, & may-
in the left legge, were condemned to
in the mettall mynes; and afterward
vnder

vnder *Conſtantine* the Great valiantly defending the Catholike Faith againſt the *Arians*, adorned with many Crownes reſted in peace. At *Lyons* the depoſition of S. *Patiens* Biſhop. At *Alexandria* of S. *Theodora*, who hauing vnaduiſedly committed a fault, & becomming truly penitent for the ſame, in a religious weed, continued vnknowne, in wonderfull Abſtinence, and Patience, vntill her dying day.

C *The twelfth Day.*

AT *Alexandria* the birth-day of the holy Martyrs *Heeronides*, *Leontius*, *Serapion*, *Seleſius*, *Valerian*, and *Strato*, who vnder *Maximinus* Emperour were drowned in the ſea for the confeſſion of Chriſt. In *Bithynia* of S. *Antonomus* Biſhop and Martyr, who flying the perſecution of *Diocletian*, came out of *Italy* thither, where hauing conuerted very many to the Chriſtian fayth, was by the furious Gentills killed at the Altar whilſt he ſayd maſſe, and ſo became a ſacrifice of Chriſt. At *Mera* in *Phrygia*, the paſſion of the holy Martyrs *Macedonius*, *Theodulus*, and *Tatianus*, who vnder *Iulian* the Apoſtata, after other torments, by commaundment of *Almachius* preſident, being layd v-

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n a hoat-burning gridiron, ioyfully ac-
mplished their Martyrdome. At *Iconium*
Licaonia of S. *Curonotus* Bishop, who be-
g beheaded vnder *Perennius* President, re-
aued the palme of Martyrdome. At (a) a Ti
uia of S. *Iuuentius* Bishop, of whome men- num
on is made vpon the eight day of Februa-
r, who being sent by *S. Hermagoras* Disci-
le to S. *Marke* the Euangelist, togeather
ith S. *Syrus* vnto that Citty, they both
reached the Ghospell there for many yea-
s; and by their holy life, and miracles,
read abroad the light therof also to other
ittyes neere adioyning; and finally re-
owned in Episcopall dignity, they rested
peace. At *Lyons* the deposition of S. *Sa-*
erdos Bishop. At *Verona* of S. *Siluinus* Bi-
op. At (b) *Anderlec* of S. *Guido* Confessor. b A
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D *The thirteenth Day.*

AT *Alexandria* the birth-day of S. *Phi-*
lip, Father to S. *Eugenia* virgin, who
esigning vp the Gouerment of *Aegypt*, ob-
eyned the grace of baptisme; and was af-
erward by commaundment of *Terentius*
is successour in that Office, as he was in
rayer beheaded. There also of the holy
Martyrs Macrobius, and *Iulian*, who suffered

vnder

vnder *Lycinius* Emperour. The fa
S. *Ligorius* Martyr, who liuing in t
was killed by the Gentills, for th
Christ. At *Alexandria* of S. *Eulogi*
renowned for doctrine and holin
At (a) *Angiers* in *France* of S. *Ma*
shop, famous for innumerable mi
(b) *Sens* of S. *Amatus* Bishop and
for. The same day of S. *Venerius* C
a man of wonderfull holines, wh
Eremiticall life in the Iland of *Pal*
the monastery of (c) *Romiemond* i
of S. *Amatus* Priest and Abbot, g
nowned for the vertue of abstine
miracles.

E *The fourtenth Day*

THE Exaltation of the Holy
when *Heraclius* Emperour h
uercome *Cosroes* King of *Persia*, bro
same thence to *Hierusalem*. At *Ron*
way *Appia* of *S. Cornelius* Pope and
who in the persecution of *Decius* b
nished, was commaũded to be bea
leaden whippes, and after with
twenty others, men & women, be
The same day also were beheaded
souldier, and Saluſtia his wyfe, wh

ne *Cornelius* had inſtructed in the Chri-
ın fayth. In *Affrica* the paſſion of S. *Cy-*
en Biſhop of *Carthage*, moſt renowned
holines of life and doctrine; who vnder
erian and *Gallienus*, after a hard baniſh-
:nt, was beheaded ſix miles from *Car-*
ge, neere to the ſea, and ſo accompliſhed
Martyrdome. There ſuffered alſo in the
ne place the holy Martyrs *Creſcentianus*,
ter, *Roſula*, and *Generalis*. At *Rome* of S.
eſcentius a Child, Sonne to S. *Euthymius*,
ho in the perſecution of *Diocletian*, vnder
rpilius Iudge, in the way *Salaria*, ended
: life by the ſword. At *Treuers* of S. *Ma-*
uus Biſhop, Diſciple to S. *Peter* the Apo-
:s, who conuerted to the fayth of Chriſt
: Inhabitants of *Tongres*, *Cullen*, *Treuers*, &
ıer people adioyning. Alſo the ſame day
: birth-day of *S. Iohn Chryſoſtome* Biſhop
Conſtantinople, who by a faction of his
ıerſaries being ſent into baniſhment, and
alled by a decree of Pope *Innocentius* the
t, being greatly afflicted by the ſouldiers
ıt guarded him, in the way homeward
ıe vp his ſoule to God. But his feaſt is
ɔt the 27. of *Ianuary*, vpon which day his
ly body was, by *Theodoſius* the yonger,
nſlated vnto *Conſtantinople*.

way called *Numentana*, the birth-c
Nicomedes Prieſt and Martyr, who f
to thoſe that would compell him
fyce: I offer no ſacrifice but to
mighty, who raigneth in heauen
long tyme beaten with leaden
went vnto our Lord. In the territ
Canaillon of S. *Valerian* Martyr, wh
cus the Preſident being hanged vp
with iron clawes, and perſiſtin
ueable in the confeſſion of Chriſt,
prayſing his holy Name was final
ded. At *Marcianopolis* in *Thracia*
tina Martyr, who vnder *Antonin*
rour, and *Antiochus* Preſident, bein
once or twice to the Idolatrous
of the Gentills, and the Idols ſh

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t, was by the power of God ſuddainly
nged, and profeſſed himſelf a Chriſtian;
which being forthwith commaunded
be beheaded, was crowned with Mar-
dome. The ſame day of S. *Nicetas* a Goth
o by commaundment of *Athanaricus*
ng was burned. At *Cordoua* of the holy
rryrs *Emilas* Deacon, and *Hieremy*, who
the perſecution of the *Arabians*, after
ng impryſonment beheaded, accompli-
ſd their Martyrdome. At (b) *Toul* in *Lo-*
ine of S. *Aprus* Biſhop. Alſo of S. *Leobinus*
iſhop of (c) *Charites*. At *Lyons* of S. *Albin*
iſhop. The ſame day the depoſition of
Aichardus Abbot. In *France* of *S. Eutropia*
iddow.

b Tul-
lum.

c Cam
tum.

G *The ſixtenth Day.*

AT *Chalcedon* the birth-day of S. *Eu-*
phemia virgin & Martyr, who for the
nfeſſion of Chriſt, vnder *Diocletian* Em-
our, & *Priſcus* Proconſul, hauing ouer-
ne the torments of impriſonmẽt, of ſtry-
, wheele, fyre, weight of ſtones, beaſts,
ippes, ſharp ſawes, & burning fiery pla-
being againe brought into the Theater
l expoſed to the beaſts, after ſhe had
yed *to our Lord* to receaue her ſoule,

one of the beaſts offering to faſten vpon her, and the reſt licking her feete, gaue vp her vnſpotted ſoule to God. At *Rome* of the holy Martyrs *Lucia* a noble Woman, & *Geminianus*, who vnder *Diocletian* Emperour after they had beene ſore afflicted with grieuous paynes, and long torments, at length beheaded obtayned a renowned victory of Martyrdome. Alſo at *Rome* in the way *Flaminia* of the holy Martyrs *Abundius* Prieſt, and *Abundantius* Deacon, who vnder the ſame *Diocletian*, togeather with *Marcianus* a Noble man, and *Iohn* his Sonne whome by their prayers they had rayſed from death, were carryed ten miles from the Citty, and beheaded. At *Heraclea* in *Thracia* of S. *Sebaſtiana* Martyr, who conuerted to the fayth of Chriſt by S. *Paul* the Apoſtle vnder *Domitianus* Emperour, and *Sergius* Preſident, hauing byn diuers wayes tormented, was finally beheaded. At *Cordoua* of the holy Martyrs *Rogellus* and *Seruideus*, who hauing their hands and feete cut off, were beheaded. In *Scotland* of S. *Niniānus* Biſhop and Confeſſor. In *England* of S. *Editha* Virgin daughter to King *Egdar*, who being conſecrated to God in a Monaſtery from her tender yeares, was rather ignorant of the world, then forſooke it.

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A *The ſeauenteenth Day.*

T *Rome* in the way *Tiburtina*, the birth-day of *S. Iuſtin* Prieſt & Martyr, in the perſecution of *Valerian* & *Gal-* renowned for his glorious Confeſ- of fayth, hauing buryed the bodies of *ſtus* pope, S. *Laurence*, *Hyppolitus*, and of y other Saintes, at laſt vnder *Clau-* iccompliſhed his Martyrdome. Alſo at of the holy Martyrs *Narciſſus* & *Creſ-* *n.* In *Phrygia* of S. *Ariadna* Martyr vnder *ian* Emperour. In *England* of the holy yrs *Socrates* & *Stephen*. At (a) *Neuers* of oly Martyrs *Valerianus*, *Macrinus*, & *Gor-* *s.* At *Auſtum* of *S. Flocellus* a boy, who er *Antoninus* Emperour, & *Valerian* Co- our, being ſore afflicted, and torne in es by wild beaſts obteyned the crow- Martyrdome. At *Liege* of S. *Lambert* op of *Maeſtricht*, who out of zeale re- ending certaine abuſes in the Kings rt, being for that cauſe ſlayne by wic- nen, entred into the Court of heauen, to liue for euer. The ſame day of S. *oelia* maid-ſeruant to an Infidell wo-, who being cruelly whipped along

(a) Nouiodunum.

tyme togeather, and otherwiſe afflic
make her deny Chriſt, yet perſeueri
in the confeſſion of her fayth, haui
tongue cut out, was finally caſt i
fyre. At *Cordoua* of S. *Columba* virg
Martyr. At *Millan* the depoſition of
rus Confeſſor, whoſe renowned a
recounted by his brother *S. Ambroſe.*
of S. *Theodora* Matrone, who in the p
tion of *Diocletian* diligently ſerued t
Martyrs. At *Binghen* in the Dioc
Mentz of S. *Hildegardes* Virgin. The ſa
the Commemoration of the holy
imprinted by the wonderfull fa
God, in the hands, feet, and ſide of
cis, Foũder of the Order of Minorits
happened in the mountayne of *A*
Tuſcany.

B *The eightenth Day.*

THE birth-day of S. *Methodius*
of *Olympia* in *Lycia* firſt, and aft
rus, renowned for eloquence and l
who in the end of the laſt perſecu
writeth S. *Hierome*, at *Chalcis* i
was crowned with Martyrdome
territory of *Vienne* in *France* of S.
Martyr, who hauing the Authc

se, was by commaundment of *Cris-*
ie wicked President, first apprehen-
nd cruelly whipped, then loaden
great weight of chaynes, and thrust
yson, out of which, his bands being
lously loosed, and the dores open, he
l; but being taken againe by those
rsued him, by losse of his head, recea-
ally the palme of Martyrdome. Also
holy Martyrs *Sophia* and *Irenes*. At
of S. *Eustorgius* the first Bishop of
tty much commended by *S. Ambrose.*
tina in *Candia* of S. *Eumenus* Bishop
nfessor.

C *The nynetenth Day.*

[(a) *Puzzuoli* in *Campania* of the holy
Martyrs *Ianuarius* Bishop of *Beneuen-*
us his Deacon, and *Desiderius* Lector,
ner with *Sosius* Deacō of the Church
nas, *Proculus* Deacon of *Puzzuoli*,
r and *Acutius*, who after many affli-
& long imprysonment were behea-
der *Diocletian* Emperour. The body
anuarius was brought to *Naples*, and
ionourably enterred in the Church,
his holy bloud is kept in a violl of
ll, euen vntill this day; which being

a Puteoli.

heere to his head, waxeth liquid, a
oleth vp, as though it were freth. At
ocera the birth-day of the holy Mart
dix and *Conſtantia*, who ſuffered vn
lero. In *Paleſtine* of the holy Martyrs
eus, *Nilus*, and *Elias*, all Biſhops of A
who in the cruell perſecution of *Diocl*
with many others of the Clergy were
ſumed by fyre. The ſame day of th
Martyrs *Trophimus*, *Sabbatius*, & *Dorit*
Senator, vnder *Probus* Emperor; of
Sabbatius by commaundment of *Att*
ſident, was ſo long whipped at *Ant*
till he gaue vp the ghoſt: but *Trop*
ing ſent to the Preſident *Perennius*
da, after many torments, togea
Dorimedon being beheaded, acc
his Martyrdome. At *Cordoua*, in
cution of the *Arabians*, of S. Pon
and Martyr. At *Canterbury* in E
Theodorus Biſhop, who being ſe
Vitalianus Pope, was renowned
and holines of life. At (c) Tou
chius Biſhop, a man of great
territory of (d) *Langres* of S.
and Confeſſor.

c Turo-nes.

d Lingo-nes.

D *The twentith Day.*

THE Vigill of *S. Matthew* Apoſtle & Euangeliſt. At *Rome* the paſſion of the holy Martyrs, *Euſtachius* and *Theopiſtes* his wyfe, with their two ſonnes *Agapius* and *Theopiſtus*, who vnder *Hadrian* Emperour being condemned to the beaſtes, but by the power of God not touched by them, were ſhut vp into a fiery braſen oxe, and ſo accompliſhed their Martyrdome. At *Cyricus* in *Propontis*, the birth-day of the holy Martyrs *Fauſta* Virgin, and *Euilaſius*, vnder *Maximianus* Emperour, of whome *Fauſta* hauing her head ſhauen, to the horrour of the beholders, was hanged vp & tortured by the ſame *Euilaſius* at that time an Idolatrous Prieſt, who whē he would haue cut her in two, and the Executioners could not hurt her, being therat aſtoniſhed beleeued in Chriſt; and whilſt by commandement of the Emperour he was cruelly tortured, *Fauſta* being pierced in the head & body with ſharpe nayles, and put into a hoate burning panne, called by a voyce from heauen, togeather with the ſayd *Euilaſius* went vnto our Lord. In *Phrygia* of the holy Martyrs *Dennis* and *Primus*. Alſo &

S. *Priſcus* Martyr, who being ſtabbed into the body with ſharp-pointed daggers, was beheaded. At *Pergen* in *Pãphilia* of the Saints *Theodorus*, *Philippa* his mother, and their fellowes, Martyrs, vnder *Antoninus* Emperour. At *Carthage* of S. *Candida* Virgin and Martyr, who vnder *Maximianus* Emperour hauing her body all torne with whips, was crowned a Martyr. Alſo of the holy Martyrs *Suſanna* daughter to *Arthemius* an Idolatrous Prieſt, and *Martha*. The ſame day of S. *Agapitus* Pope, of whoſe holynes S. *Gregory* the great writeth. At *Millan* of S. *Clicerius* Biſhop and Confeſſour.

E *The one and twentith Day.*

THE birth-day of *S. Matthew* Apoſtle & Euangeliſt, who preaching in *Æthiopia*, was there Martyred. The Ghoſpell written by him in Hebrew, was by his owne reuelation found, togeather with the body of S. *Barnaby* Apoſtle, in the tyme of *Zeno* Emperour. In the Land of *Saar* of S. *Ionas* Prophet, who was buryed in *Geth*. At *Rome* of S. *Pamphilus* Martyr. There alſo in the way called *Claudia*, twenty myles from the Citty, the paſſion of S. *Alexander Biſhop*, who vnder *Antoninus* Emperour for

the

e Fayth of Chriſt, hauing ouercome fet-
s, cudgells, the torture *Equuleus*, bur-
ng with torches, tearing with iron hoo-
, beaſts, and the fiery fornace, at laſt be-
aded, obtayned a glorious crowne. His
dy was afterward tranſlated into the
ty, by S. *Damaſus* Pope, vpon the ſix &
enty day of Nouember, on which day
ordayned that his feaſt ſhould be kept.
Phœnicia of S. *Euſebius* Martyr, who go-
, of his owne accord to the Gouernour,
d profeſſing himſelfe a Chriſtian, after
ny torments was beheaded. In *Cyprus*
S. *Iſacius* Biſhop and Martyr. There al-
of S. *Meletius* Biſhop and Confeſſour. In
hiopia of S. *Iphigenia* Virgin, who bapti-
l, and conſecrated to God by S. *Matthew*
Apoſtle, dyed in all Sanctimony.

F *The two and twentith Day.*

AT (a) *Sitten* in *Switzerland* the birth- a Sedu-
day of the Holy Martyrs, *Mauri-* num.
, *Exuperius*, *Candidus*, *Victor*, *Innocentius*
Vitalis, with their fellowes of the *The-*
s Legion, who being killed for Chriſt
der *Maximianus* Emperour, adorned the
rld with their glorious Martyrdome.
Rome the paſſion of the holy Virgins &
Martyrs,

Martyrs *Digna* and *Emerita*, vnder *Valerian* and *Gallienus*, whoſe reliques are kept there in the Church of *S. Marcellus*. At *Chaſtres* of S. *Ionas* Prieſt and Martyr, who comming into *France* with S. *Dennis*, by commaundment of *Iulianus* Gouernour being cruelly whipped, accompliſhed his Martyrdome. At *Ratiſbone* in *Bauaria* of S. *Emeramus* Biſhop and Martyr, who to ſaue others for Chriſts cauſe, endured a moſt cruell death. At *Antinople* in *Aegypt* of S. *Iraides* a Virgin of *Alexandria*, with her fellowes Martyrs, who going forth of the Citty to draw water at a fountayne, and ſeeing a ſhip laden with Confeſſors of Chriſt to paſſe by, leauing her bucket, forthwith ioyned herſelf vnto them; & being brought with them to *Antinople*, firſt of all, after many torments, was beheaded; and after her, the Prieſts, Deacons, Virgins, and all the reſt of her cõpany dyed the ſame death. At (b) *Meaux* of S. *Sanctinus* Biſhop, diſciple to S. *Denis*, who being by him ordained Biſhop of that Citty, firſt preached the Goſpell there. In the territory of *Conſtance* of S. *Lauton* Biſhop. At (c) *Poitiers* of S. *Florentius* Prieſt. In the territory of *Bourges* of S. *Syluanus* Confeſſor. At (d) *Laon* of S. *Salaberga* Abbeſſe.

Melda.

Pictauum.

Laudunum.

G *The three and twentith Day.*

AT *Rome* of S. *Linus* Pope and Martyr, who gouerned the Church of *Rome* ext after S. *Peter* the Apoſtle, & being there artyred, lyeth buried in the *Vatican* neere o the ſame Apoſtle. At *Iconium* in *Lycaonia* f S. *Thecla* Virgin and Martyr who con-erted to the Fayth of Chriſt by *S. Paul* the poſtle, vnder *Nero* the Emperour hauing or the confeſſion of Chriſt, & inſtruction f many, endured the fyre, beaſts, and ma-y other torments, comming to *Seleucia*, here finally reſted in peace; whome the oly Fathers in their writings haue highly xtolled. In *Campania* the Cõmemoration f S. *Soſius* Deacon of the Church of *Miſenas*, om whoſe head the holy Biſhop *Ianuarius* eeing a fiery beame to aſcend whilſt he ead the Ghoſpell, foretold he ſhould be a Martyr; & not many dayes after, at the age f thirty yeares, togeather with the ſayd iſhop he ſuffered Martyrdome, by being eheaded. In *Affrica* of the holy Martyrs *ndrew*, *Iohn*, *Peter*, and *Anthony*. In the erritory of *Conſtance* of S. *Paternus* Bi-op and Martyr. At *Ancona* of S. *Conſtan-ius* Manſionary of the Church of S. Stephen,

renow-

renowned for miracles. In *Spayne* of the holy women *Xantippa* and *Polyxena*, diſciples of the Apoſtles.

A *The foure and twentith Day.*

Angu-dunū. AT (a) *Auſtum* the birthday of the holy Martyrs *Andochius* Prieſt, *Thyrſis* Deacon, and *Felix*, who being ſent into *France* by *S. Polycarp* Biſhop of *Smirna*, out of the Eaſt to preach the Ghoſpell, after they had byn ſore whipped, and hanged vp a whole day togeather by the hands, caſt alſo into the fyre but not burnt, at length hauing their neckes broken with barres, ended theyr Martyrdome. In *Aegypt* the paſſion of Saint *Paphnutius*, and his fellowes, Martyrs, who liuing a ſolitary lyfe in the wildernes, and hearing that many Chriſtians were impriſoned, moued by the ſpirit of God, voluntarily offered himſelfe to the Gouernour, profeſſing the ſame Chriſtian Fayth, by whome being firſt bound in iron chaines, and long tortured vpon the racke *Equuleus*, was finally with many others ſent priſoner to *Diocletian* the Emperour, and by his commandmēt being nayled to a palme tree, and the reſt ſlayne, accompliſhed his Martyrdome. At *Chalce-*

don

s of fourty and nyne holy Martyrs, who
er the paſſion of *S. Euphemia*, vnder *Dio-*
ian Emperour being condemned to the
aſtes, and miraculouſly deliuered from
em, at laſt beheaded, went to our Lord.
(b) *Hungary* of S. *Gerard* Biſhop & Mar- b Pan
r. At *Auuergne* the depoſition of *S. Ruſti-* nonia
Biſhop and Confeſſor. In the territory c Belo
(c) *Beauuais* of S. *Geremarus* Abbot. cum.

B *The fiue and twentith Day.*

N the Caſtle of *Emmaus*, the birth-day
of S. *Cleophas* diſciple of our Lord, who
y traditiō is ſaid to haue byn killed by the
wes, for the confeſſion of Chriſt, in the
me houſe, in which he had entertay-
ed him, and was there honourably bu-
ed. At *Rome* of S. *Herculanus* Souldier &
artyr, who conuerted to Chriſt by the
iracles, which he ſaw at the Martyrdome
f *S. Alexander* Biſhop, after many torméts
nder *Antoninus* Emperour, dyed by the
vord. At *Amiens* in *France* of S. *Firminus*
iſhop, who in the perſecution of *Diocle-*
in vnder *Rictiouarus* Preſident, after diuers
rments was beheaded. At *Damaſco* of the
oly Martyrs *Paulus* and *Tatta* his wife, *Sa-*
nianus, *Maximus*, *Rufus*, and Eugenius their
children

children, who being accuſed to be Chriſtians, and cruelly whipped, and otherwiſe tormented, gaue vp their ſoules to God. In *Aſia* the paſſion of the holy Martyrs *Bartholomæus*, *Eucarpus*, and ſix and twenty others. The ſame day of S. *Anathalon* Confeſſor, diſciple to S. *Barnaby* the Apoſtle, & Biſhop of the Church of *Millan*. At *Lyons* the depoſition of S. *Lupus*, who of an Anchoret, was ordayned Biſhop. At (a) *Auxerre* of S. *Anacharius* Biſhop and Confeſſor. At (b) *Blois* of S. *Solemnius* Biſhop of *Chartres*, renowned for miracles. The ſame day of S. *Principus* Biſhop of *Soiſſons*, brother to S. *Remigius*. At *Anagnia* of the holy virgins *Aurelia* and *Nemiſia*.

C *The ſix and twentith Day.*

AT *Nicomedia* the birth-day of the holy Martyrs *Cyprian*, & *Iuſtina* Virgin, vnder *Diocletian* Emperour, and *Eutholmius* Preſident, of whome *Iuſtina* hauing endured many torments for Chriſt, & conuerted *Cyprian* to the fayth, who before was a Magitian, and had his by magicall practiſes attempted to bewitch her, was finally martyred with him. Their bodyes being caſt out to the beaſts, but taken vp by night

ofcertaine Chriſtian Marriners, & brought to *Rome*, were honourably placed in the Church of *Conſtantine*, neere vnto the Font. At *Rome* of *S. Calliſtratus* Martyr, and fourty nine other Souldiers, who in the perſecution of *Diocletian*, by ſeing *Calliſtratus* ſowed vp in a ſacke, & caſt into the ſea, to haue by the power of God eſcaped drowning, were conuerted vnto Chriſt, and togeather with him endured Martyrdome. Alſo at *Rome* of S. *Euſebius* Pope. At *Bolonia* of S. *Euſebius* Biſhop and Confeſſour. At (a) *Breſcia* of S. *Vigilius* Biſhop. At *Albano* of S. *Senator*. At (b) *Freſcati* of S. *Nilus* Abbot, Founder of the Monaſtery of *Cripta-ferrata*, a man of great holines. At (c) *Città di Caſtello* of S. *Amantius* Prieſt, famous for miracles.

a Brix.

b Tuſc. lum.

c Tiphe num.

D *The ſeauen and twentith Day.*

IN *Egea* the birth-day of the holy Martirs *Coſmas* & *Damianus* Brothers, who in the perſecution of *Diocletian* after many torments, hauing by the power of God ouercome fetters, priſon, dangers of ſea, of fire, croſſes, ſtoning, and arrowes, were beheaded; with whome are ſayd to haue ſuffered three of their brothers, *Anthimus*, *Leontius*, and *Euprepius*. At *Rome* of S. Epicharides a Se-

nator

nators wife who in the ſame perſecu
after ſhe had beene beaten with le
a Tudertum. whippes, was beheaded. At (a) *Todi*
holy Martyrs *Fidentius* and *Terentius*, v
the ſame *Diocletian*. At *Cordoua* of the
Martyrs *Adulphus* and *Iohn* Brothers,
in the perſecution of the *Arabians*, for C
b Sedunum. were crowned with Martyrdome. *
Sitten in *Switzerland* of S. *Florentinus* Ma
who togeather with S. *Hilary*, after he
his tongue cut out, dyed by the ſwo
Byblus in *Phœnicia* of S. *Marke* Biſhop,
is called alſo *Iohn* by S. *Luke*. At (c) *Mil*
S. *Caius* Biſhop, diſciple to S. *Barnab*
Apoſtle, who baptized the Saints *Ge*
and *Protaſius*, and hauing ſuffered ma
flictions in the perſecution of *Nero*,
to reſt in peace. At *Rauenna* of S. *Aderit*
ſhop and Confeſſor. At *Paris* of S. *Elea*
c Hannonia. Earle. In (c) *Hennault* of S. *Hiltrudes* Vi

E *The eight and twentith Day.*

AT *Rome* of S. *Priuatus* Martyr,
being a leaper, and healed by S.
ſtus Pope, was after vnder *Alexander* E
rour, beaten with leaden whippes fo
fayth of Chriſt, vntill he gaue v
ghoſt. There alſo of S. *Stacteus* Marty

of the holy Martyrs *Martialis*, *Lar-*
& twenty others. At *Antioch* in *Piſidia*
holy Martyrs *Marcus* a Sheepheard, *Al-*
lexander, & *Zoſimus* his brothers; al-
ſicon, *Neon*, *Heliodorus*, & thirty ſoul-
who believing in Chriſt through the
es wrought by the ſorſaid *Marcus*,
in ſundry places, by diuers torments,
ied Martyrs. The ſame day the paſ-
S. *Maximus*, vnder *Decius* Emperour;
emia of S. *Wenceſlaus* Duke of the *Bo-*
& Martyr, renowned for holines &
es, who killed in his brothers houſe,
triumphantly to heauen. At *Toleſa* of
erius Biſhop & Confeſſor, who how
g he was in regard of himſelfe, and
liberall towards others. S. *Hierome*
ſt a memorable teſtimony. At *Genua*
Salomon Biſhop and Confeſſour. At
of S. *Siluinus* Biſhop. The ſame day
uſtochium Virgin, daughter to Bleſſed
who being brought vp at the Man-
our Lord with other Virgins, re-
ed for merits, went to her Spouſe.
many of S. *Liba* Virgin, famous for
ſa.

F *The nyne and twentith Day.*

IN the Mount *Garganus*, the famous
mory of S. *Michael* Archangell, at v
tyme a Church was there conſecrated
his Name; ſmall in reſpect of the exter
forme, but greatly renowned with hea
ly vertues. In *Thracia* the birth-day o
holy Martyrs *Eutychius*, *Plautus*, and *Her*
In *Perſia* of S. *Gudelia* Martyr, who
ſhe had conuerted very many to the f
of Chriſt, and refuſing to adore the *Sun*
the *Fyre*, vnder *Sapores* King after many
mets, hauing the skin plucked off her h
& nayled to a poſt, deſerued a triump
Crowne. There alſo of the holy Ma
Dadas Kinſman to King *Sapores*, C
his wyfe, and *Gabdelas* their ſonne, wh
ing depriued of their honour and dig
and put to diuers torments, after long
priſonment, were beheaded. In *Arme*
the holy virgins *Ripſimes*, and her fello
Martyrs, vnder King *Tiridates*. At *Auxe*
S. *Fraternus* Biſhop and Martyr. At P
curuo neere to *Aquino*, of S. *Grimoaldus*
and Confeſſour. In *Paleſtine* of S. *Qu*
Anchoret.

G *The thirtith Day.*

IN *Bethleem-Iuda* the depoſition of S. *Hierome* Prieſt, and Doctor of the Church, who excelling in all kind of learning, and a diligent imitatour of the moſt approued Monkes, hauing with the ſword of his doctrine ſlaine many monſters of Hereſies, at length in a very old age, wēt to reſt in peace, and was buryed there, at the Manger of our Lord: whoſe body being afterwards brought to *Rome*, is kept with due honour and Veneration in the Church of S. *Maria Maior*. The ſame day of S. *Leopardus* Martyr, one of *Iulian* the Apoſtata his retinew, who being beheaded at *Rome*, his body was afterward tranſlated to *Aquiſgrane*. At (a) *Solotburne* in *Suitzerland* the paſſion of the holy Martyrs *Victor* and *Vrſus*, two of the renowned *Thebean* Legion, who firſt vnder *Maximianus* Emperour hauing byn cruelly tormented, were through a bright light ſhining from heauen, and the executioners falling to the ground, deliuered, but afterward apprehended againe and caſt into the fyre, without any hurt, were finally beheaded. At *Placentia* of S. *Antoninus* Martyr, one alſo of the ſame Legion. The ſame

(a) Solodorum

day of S. *Gregory* Bishop of Great *Arm*
who suffering very many afflictions
Diocletian, at last went to rest in peac
Canterbury in *England*, of S. *Honoriu*
shop, and Confessour. At *Rome* of S.
Widdow, Mother to the holy virgin
des, *Spes*, and *Charitas*.

THE ONETH OF OCTOBER.

A *The firſt Day.*

AT *Rhemes* in *France* of S. *Remigius* Biſhop and Confeſſour, who conuerted the French-men to the Chriſtian Fayth, and baptized *Clodoueus* their King; and when been Biſhop threeſcore and ten yea- rowned for holines and miracles, d this life vpon the thirteenth day of , but his feaſt is kept on this day, his holy body was tranſlated. At f S. *Areta* Martyr, and of fyue hun- d foure others. At Fonis in Pontus of the

the holy Martyrs *Priscus*, *Crescens*, and *Eua-*
ipo *grius*. At (a) *Lisbone* in *Portugall* of S. *Verissi-*
mus Martyr, togeather with *Maxima* & *Iulia*
his systers, who suffered in the persecution
of *Diocletian*. At *Tournay* of S. *Piato* Priest &
Martyr, who comming from *Rome* into
France with S. *Quinctin* and his fellowes, to
preach the fayth of Christ, did afterward in
the persecution of *Maximianus* accomplish
his Martyrdome. At *Thessalonica* of S. *Dom-*
ninus Martyr vnder the same *Maximianus*. At
Gant of S. *Bauo* Confessor. At (b) *Oruieto* of
Vrbs tus. S. *Seuerus* Priest and Confessor.

B *The second Day.*

AT *Nicomedia* of S. *Eleutherius* a Soul-
dier, with innumerable others, who
being falsely accused for setting on fire the
Pallace of *Diocletian*, were by commaund-
ment of that most cruell Emperour, killed
by heapes; of whome, some were cut in
peeces, others burned in the fyre, and some
others cast into the sea; but the chiefest of
them *Eleutherius* being long tortured, & at
euery tormēt found more couragious then
before, finally as gold tryed in the fire ac-
Attre- complished his victorious Martyrdome. In
tum. *the* territory of (a) *Arras* the passion of S.

Leode-

idegarius Bishop of (b) *Austum*, whome *roinus* high Steward to King *Theodoricus*, er he had byn diuersly afflicted and tor-nted for the truth, commaunded to be led. There also of S. *Gerinus* Martyr, Bro-er to the sayd S. *Leodegarius*, who was ned to death in the same place. At *Antioch* the holy Martyrs *Primus*, *Cyrillus*, and *Se-darius*. At *Constantinople* of S. *Theophilus* onke, who being cruelly tormented by *Isauricus*, for defending holy Images, & t into banishment, went to our Lord. At *reford* in *England* of S. *Thomas* Bishop & onfessour.

b Augu stodunu

C *The third Day.*

AT *Rome* in the place called *Vrsus pi-leatus*, of Saint *Candidus* Martyr. The ne day of the holy Martyrs *Dennis*, *Fau-*, *Caius*, *Peter*, *Paul*, and foure others, who t vnder *Decius* hauing endured great pen-ution, and afterward vnder *Valerianus* mented by *Aemilianus* President, at last eaued the palme of Martyrdome. In *stphalia* amongst the old *Saxons* the pas-n of two holy Martyrs of the same Name led *Ewaldi*, Priests, who preaching there ghospel of Christ were killed by the Pa-

the holy Martyrs *Priscus*, *Cr*
grius. At (a) *Lisbone* in *Portug*
mus Martyr, togeather with
his systers, who suffered in
of *Diocletian*. At *Tournay* o
Martyr, who commi
France with S. *Quinc*
preach the fayth of
the persecution
his Martyrdom
ninus Martyr v
Gant of S. *B*
S. *Seuerus* F
Abbot.

D *The fourth Da*

AT (a) *Assisi* in *Vmbria* the
S. *Francis* Confessor, Fo
Order of the Minorits; whose
plenished with sanctity and mi
written by S. *Bonauenture*. A
birth-day of the Saints *Crispus*
whome S. *Paul* the Apostle m
tion writing to the *Corinthians*.
the holy Martyrs *Marcus* & *Ma*
thers, and of almost innumerab
both sexes, & all ages; of who
ter whipping, and other most
ments of diuers kindes, being

gans: ouer whose bodies appeare
light in the night, shewing wh
were, and of what merit and fauo
God. In *Affrica* of S. *Maximianus* B
Bagaia, who being often, and sore
by the *Donatists*, throwne dow
long also from a high tower, an
dead, renowned for his glorious co
went at last to rest in our Lord. In
of S. *Hesichius* Confessor, disciple to
rion, and his companion in trauel
Namur lower *Germany*, in the Diocesse o
m. *mures*, of S. *Gerard* Abbot.

D *The fourth Day.*

Assi- AT (a) *Assisi* in *Vmbria* the bir
m. S. *Francis* Confessor, Foun
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both sexes, & all ages; of whom
ter whipping, and other most hor
ments of diuers kindes, being cast

r, others throwne headlong into the sea, ie also beheaded, others starued, some ied to gibbets, and others hanged vp the feet with their head downward, de- ed a most glorious Crowne of Martyr- ne. At *Damasco* of S. *Peter* Bishop and ryr, who being accused to the Prince he *Saracens*, for preaching the fayth of rist, hauing his tongue, hands, and feete off, and nayled to a crosse, accomplished Martyrdome. At *Alexandria* of the holy ests and Deacons *Caius*, *Faustus*, *Eusebius*, *remon*, *Lucius*, and their fellowes, of ome some were put to death in the per- tion of *Valerianus*, others by seruing the ryrs, receaued the reward of Martyrs. *Athens* of S. *Hierotheus* disciple to S. *Paul* Apostle. At *Belonia* of S. *Petronius* Bishop l Confessor, famous for learning, mi- les, and holines. At *Paris* of S. *Aurea* gin.

E *The fifth Day.*

T *Messina* in *Sicily* the birth-day of the holy Martyrs *Placidus* Monke, iple to S. *Benet*, togeather with his two thers *Eutychius* and *Victorinus*, and *Flavia* syster: Also of *Donatus* and *Firmatus* Dea- cons,

who in the perſecution of *Diocletia*
Richomarus Preſident, endured Marc
The ſame day the paſſion of S.
Virgin, who vnder *Diocletian* Emp
Domitius Cõſull being firſt tortured
and then caſt into the ſea, but by th
of God receyuing no hurt, hauing
& feete cut off, & her teeth beaten
vp her ſoule in prayer. At *Auxerre* tl
ſition of the Saints *Firmatus* Dea
Flauiana Virgin, his ſyſter. At *Raue*
Marcellinus Biſhop and Confeſſor. A
in *France* of S. *Apollinaris* Biſhop, w
and death were renowned for ver
miracles. The ſame day of S. *Attil*
ſhop of *Zamora*, who was canoniz
Saint by Pope *Vrban* the ſecõd. At R

F *The ſixt Day.*

Calabria of S. *Bruno* Confeſſor, Foun-
r of the Order of Carthuſians. At *Lao-*
of S. *Sagares* Biſhop and Martyr, an an-
diſciple of S. *Paul* the Apoſtle. At *Ca-*
ie birth-day of the holy Martyrs *Mar-*
, *Caſtus, Aemilius,* and *Saturninus.* At (a) a Age
in *France* the birth-day of S. *Fides* Vir- num.
ind Martyr, by whoſe example Bleſ-
Caprafius encouraged to Martyrdome,
ily accompliſhed his agony. Alſo of
rotides Martyr, who being inflamed
i the loue of Chriſt, ouercame the heate
re, by Martyrdome. At *Treuers* the Cō-
:oration of almoſt innumerable holy
yrs, who in the perſecution of *Diocle-*
vnder *Rictiouarus* Preſident, by diuers
es of death were killed. At *Auxerre* of S.
mus Biſhop and Martyr. At (b) *Vderzo* b Op
Magnus Biſhop, whoſe body lyeth bu- tium.
at *Venice*.

G *The ſeauenth Day*.

[*Sueuia* of S. *Brigit* Widdow. At *Rome*
i the way *Ardeatina*, the depoſition of
arke Pope and Confeſſor. In the Pro-

uince

uince of *Augusta Euphratesia*, of the
Martyrs *Sergius* and *Bacchus* Noble *Ro*
vnder *Maximianus* Emperour, of w
Bacchus was so long beaten with ra
newes for the confession of Christ vn
gaue vp the ghost: But *Sergius* being f
to weare shooes stucke full of sharpe n
remaining cōstant in his fayth, was si
beheaded. His body is kept at a place
of his name *Sergiopolis*, and honoured
frequent concurse of Christians, for t
mous miracles wrought thereat. At *Ro*
the holy Martyrs *Marcellus* and *Apuleius*,
being first disciples of *Simon Magus*, &
the wonders which God wrought b
Apostle S. *Peter*, forsaking *Simon*, imb
the Apostolicall doctrine, and after *S.*
death vnder *Aurelianus* Consull, obtey
crowne of Martyrdome, and were bu
neere to the Citty. Also at *Augusta Eup*
sia of S. *Iulia* Virgin, who vnder *Mar*
President accomplished her Martyrd
At (a) *Padua* of S. *Iustina* Virgin and
tyr, who baptized by S. *Prosdocimus* di
to S. *Peter*, and persisting constant i
fayth of Christ, by commaūdment of
mus Presidēt, thrust through with a sw
went to our Lord. At (b) *Bourges* of S
gustus Priest & Confessour. In the ter

a Patauium.

b Bituricæ.

Rhemes of S. *Helanus* Priest. The same
, the Commemoration of *Sancta Maria*
ictoria, ordayned by Pope *Pius V.* euery
e to be obserued on this day, in me-
ry of a famous victory obtayned by sea
inst the Turkes, through the help and
ccession of the Blessed Mother of God.
d Pope *Gregory* the XIII. ordayned
wise, the annuall solemnity of the *Re-*
of the Blessed Virgin, to be kept vpon
first Sunday of this Moneth, for the
e-cause.

A *The eyght Day.*

THE birth-day of Blessed old *Simeon*,
who in the Ghospell is reed to haue
ers our Lord *Iesus* in his armes. A *Cæsa-*
in *Palestina*, the passion of S. *Reparata*
gin and Martyr, who for refusing to sa-
yce to Idolls, being put to diuers tor-
nts vnder *Decius* the Emperour, was fi-
ly beheaded; whose blessed soule was
e to ascend vp to heauen in the forme
Deue. At *Thessalonica* of S. *Demetrius*
conful, who after he had brought many
hofayth of Christ, by commaundment
Maximianus Emperour, being thrust
ough the body with a launce accompli-
shed

shed his Martyrdome. T
a Hispa- ſtor Martyr. At (a) *Seuill*
is. Martyr. At *Laodicea* of
who vnder *Diocletian*
dome by fyre. In the ter
Benedicta Virgin and
the Saints *Palatiates*
the perſecution of
Preſidēt, being ſe
out with labou
our Lord. At
Confeſſor.
named the
of the Saints *Victor*
yrs. At *Bonna* in *Germ*
artyrs *Caßius* and *Florentius*
A ny others. At *Nicomedia* of th
rs *Eulampius*, and *Eulampia* his
Bi hearing that her Brother was
for Chriſt, preſſing into the mid
the people, and imbracing him, ioyne
ſelf vnto his company, and being bo
into a caldron of boyling oyle, but
power of God nothing hurt therby,
togeather with two hundred other
moued by that miracle believed in
beheaded, and ſo accompliſhed thei
tyrdome. At *Yorke* in *England* of S. P
Biſhop, Diſciple to S. Gregory Pope

r, with others, to preach
nverted King *Edwin*, & his
th of Christ. At *Populonia*
erbonius Bishop and Con-
Gregory writeth, was re-
, both alyue and dead.
her S. *Cerbonius* Bi-
us Bishop.

eauenth Day.

n *Cilicia* the birth-day of
rtyrs, *Tharacus*, *Probus* and
the persecution of *Diocle-*
ng and miserable impry-
e tormented for the con-
t last beheaded obteyned
wne. At *Vilcassine* a vil-
passion of the holy Mar-
p of *Roan*, *Quirinus* Priest,
and *Pientia* Virgin, vnder
enninus. Also the passion
asius Priest, *Placidus*, *Geno-*
ws. In *Thebais* of S. *Sar-*
. *Antony* Abbot, who was
hrist, by the *Saracens*. At
nce of S. *German* Bishop a Velosi
cia in *Affrica* of S. *Firminus* tio.
ssor. In Scotland of S. Co-

 micus

tings, as it were in a glaſſe, the liu
of his ſanctity. At *Cullen* of S. *Gere*
with three hundred and eighteen
who in the perſecution of *Maxim*
tiently endured the loſſe of their
defence of the truth. In the terri
ſame City alſo, of the Saints *Vid*
fellowes, Martyrs. At *Beuna* in G
the holy Martyrs *Caſſius* and *Flore*
very many others. At *Nicomedia* of
Martyrs *Eulampius*, and *Eulampia*
who hearing that her Brother w
red for Chriſt, preſſing into the
the people, and imbracing him, in
ſelf vnto his company, and being
into a caldron of boyling oyle,

being ſent thither, with others, to preach the ghoſpell, conuerted King *Edwin*, & his people to the fayth of Chriſt. At *Populonia* in *Tuſcany* of S. *Cerbonius* Biſhop and Confeſſor, who, as S. *Gregory* writeth, was renowned for miracles, both alyue and dead. At *Verona* alſo of another S. *Cerbonius* Biſhop. At *Capua* of S. *Paulinus* Biſhop.

D *The eleauenth Day.*

AT *Tharſus* in *Cilicia* the birth-day of the holy Martyrs, *Tharacus*, *Probus* and *Andronicus*, who in the perſecution of *Diocletian* enduring a long and miſerable impryſonment, & thryce tormented for the confeſſion of Chriſt, at laſt beheaded obteyned a tryumphant Crowne. At *Vilcaſine* a village in *France*, the paſſion of the holy Martyr *Nicaſius* Biſhop of *Roan*, *Quirinus* Prieſt, *Scubiculus* Deacon, and *Pientia* Virgin, vnder the Preſident *Feſcenninus*. Alſo the paſſion of the Saints *Anaſtaſius* Prieſt, *Placidus*, *Genoſus*, and their fellows. In *Thebais* of S. *Sarmanus* Diſciple to S. *Antony* Abbot, who was there killed for Chriſt, by the *Saracens*. At *Burgunſon* in *France* of S. *German* Biſhop and Martyr. At *Vrecia* in *Affrica* of S. *Firminus* Biſhop and Confeſſor. In Scotland of S. Ca-

vicus Abbot. At *Lyre* in the lower G
the depoſition of S. *Gummarus* Cor
At (b) *Renes* in *France* of S. *Aemilianus*
feſſor. At *Tharſus* in *Cilicia* of the Sai
naides, and *Philonilla* ſyſters, who
kinſwomen to *S. Paul* the Apoſtle, w
ſo his Diſciples in fayth. At *Verona* of
cidia Virgin.

E *The twelfth Day.*

AT *Rome* of the holy Martyrs E
Priſcianus, and their fellowes.
uenna in the way *Lauretina*, the birth-
S. *Ediſtius* Martyr. In *Lycia* of S. I
Martyr, vnder *Diocletian* Emperour.
frica of foure thouſand, nyne hu
threeſcore, and ſix holy Confeſſor
Martyrs, in the perſecution of the
vnder *Hunnericus* the *Arian* King; of
ſome being Biſhops, ſome Prieſts, &
Deacons, with great troopes of fa
people ioyning themſelues vnto
were baniſhed into a vaſt wilderne
fence of the Catholike Verity; whe
they were lead thither by the *More*
being forced forward with ſharpe
of ſpeares, and beaten with ſtones
bound hand & foot and drawne

hand and ſtony places, and their bodyes rent in peeces, at laſt by diuers other cruell tormentes, obtayned a famous Martyrdome. The chiefeſt of theſe Prieſts of our Lord, were *Felix* and *Cyprian* Biſhops. At *Celena* in *Pannonia* of *S. Maximilianus* Biſhop of (a) *Laureacum*. At *Yorke* in *England* of S. *Welfride* Biſhop & Confeſſour. At *Millan* of S. *Monas* Cõfeſſour, who was choſe Biſhop of that Church by a miraculous light from heauen that inuironed him, whilſt they were in conſultation who ſhould be ordayned. At *Verona* of S. *Saluinus* Biſhop. In *Syria* of *S. Euſtachius* Prieſt and Confeſſor.

(a) Cal. En

F *The thirteenth Day.*

AT *Troas* in the leſſer *Aſia*, of S. *Carpus* diſciple to Saint *Paul* the Apoſtle. At *Cordoua* in *Spayne* the birth-day of the holy Martyrs *Fauſtus*, *Ianuarius* and *Martialis*, who being firſt tormented vpon the racke *Equuleus*, and after hauing their eye-lyds ſhauen, their teeth ſtroken out, their eares and noſes cut off, at laſt by fyre accompliſhed their Martyrdome. At *Theſſalonica* of S. *Florentius* Martyr, who after diuers torméts was burned. *In Auſtria* of *S. Colmannus* Martyr. At (a) *Gema* in the Kingdome of Marocco in Affrica

the paſſion of ſeauen holy Martyrs, of the Order of *S. Francis*, *Daniel*, *Samuel*, *Angelus*, *Domnus*, *Leo*, *Nicolaus*, and *Hugolinus*, who for preaching the Ghoſpell of Chriſt, and confuting the Sect of *Mahomet*, after they had ſuffered many reproaches, impriſonment, and torments by the *Saracens*, at laſt beheaded, obtayned the palme of Martyrdome. At *Antioch* of *S. Theophilus* Biſhop, the ſixt in that ſea after S. *Peter* the Apoſtle. At (b) *Tours* of S. *Venantius* Abbot & Confeſſor. At (c) *Subiaco* in *Italy*, of S. *Chelidonia* Virgin.

Turo-
ces.
Subia-
um.

G *The fourteenth Day.*

AT *Rome* in the way called *Aurelia*, the birth-day of *S. Calliſtus* Pope & Martyr, who by commaundement of *Alexander* Emperour, being long ſtarued with hunger in pryſon, and euery day beaten with cudgells, at laſt throwne headlong out of a window into a well, and drowned, deſerued a triumphant palme of Martyrdome. At *Cæſarea* in *Paleſtine* of *S. Fortunata* virgin and Martyr, who in the perſecution of *Diocletian*, after ſhe had ouercome the torture *Equuleus*, fyre, beaſts, and other torments, gaue vp her ſoule to God; whoſe body was afterward tranſlated to Naples in *Campania*.

lo of the holy Martyrs *Carponius*, *Euaristus* d *Priscianus* Brothers to the forsayd Vir- *Fortunata*, who being beheaded after r, receaued in lyke manner the crowne Martyrdome. Also of the holy Martyrs *urninus* and *Lupus*. At (a) *Rimini* of *S.* *udentius* Bishop and Martyr. At (b) *Todi* *S. Fortunatus* Bishop, who as *S. Gregory* iteth, was most renowned for casting t of diuells. At (c) *Wirtzburge* of *S. Bur-* *rdus* the first Bishop of that Citty. At *ges* in *Flaunders* of *S. Donatianus* Bishop *Rhemes*. At *Treuers* of *S. Rusticus* Bishop. ie same day the deposition of *S. Dominicke* named *Loricatus*. In *Italy* of *S. Bernard* nfessour.

a Arim num.
b Tuder tum.
c Herbi polis.

A *The fifteenth Day.*

AT *Rome* in the way called *Aurelia*, of *S. Fortunatus* Martyr. At *Cullen* the th-day of three hundred holy Martyrs, o in the persecution of *Maximianus* ac- nplished the course of Martyrdome. At *thage* of S. *Agileus* Martyr, vpon whose t *S. Augustine* made a Sermon of him to people. In *Prussia* of S. *Bruno* Bishop Martyr, who preaching the Ghospell e to the *Ruthenians*, being apprehended

(a) Argentoratum.

feſſour. At (a) *Strasburge* of S. *Aureli*
gin. At *Cracouia* of S. *Hedwiges* D
of *Polonia*, renowned for her charity
poore, and working of miracles; w
Pope *Clement* the fourth canonized
Saint. In *Germany* of S. *Tecla* Abbeſſ

B *The ſixteenth Day.*

IN *Affrica* of two hundred, and ſe
holy Martyrs, crowned rogether.
alſo of the Saints *Martianus* and *Sat*
with their two brothers, who in th
ſecution of the *Wandalls*, vnder G
the *Arian* King, being ſeruants to a c

people to the fayth of Chriſt, and obteyned of the Biſhop of *Rome* a Prieſt, and others of the Clergy, which might baptize them, at laſt tyed by the feete to the end of ſwift-running Chariots, & dragged throgh a thorny wood, accompliſhed their Martyrdome. But *Maxima*, after ſhe had endured many conflicts for her fayth, and by the power of God ſet free, being made Mother of many Virgins, in a Monaſtery, happily reſted in our Lord. There alſo of the holy Martyrs *Saturninus* and *Nereus*, with three hundred, threeſcore and fiue others. At *Cullen* of S. *Eliphius* Martyr, vnder *Iulian* the Apoſtata. Alſo of S. *Bercharius* Abbot and Martyr. In the territory of *Bourges* of S. *Ambroſe* Biſhop of (a) *Cahors*. At *Mentz* of S. *Lullus* Biſhop and Confeſſour. At *Treviers* of S. *Florentinus* Biſhop. At *Arbone* in *Germany* of S. *Gallus* Abbot, diſciple to S. *Columbane*.

a Cadurcum.

C *The ſeauententh Day.*

AT *Antioch* the birth-day of S. *Heron*, diſciple to S. *Ignatius*, who being ordayned Biſhop after him, like a diligēt follower *of his Mayſters* foot-ſtepps, for the *loue of Chriſt*, gaue his life for the flocke

deepe Lake. At *Conſtantinople* of S. Monke, who for worſhipping holy I vnder *Conſtantinus Copronymus*, being tymes tormented, at laſt hauing one a Arau- ſeete cut off, gaue vp his ſoule to God fica. *Orange* in *France* of S. *Florentinus* Biſh nowned for many miracles. At *Cap Viſſur* Biſhop, famous for ſanctity of l doctrine.

D *The eighteenth Day.*

THe birth-day of S. *Luke* Eua who hauing endured many a for the name of Chriſt, full of t Ghoſt, dyed in *Bithynia*; whoſe ho

ſecution of *Diocletian*, for the fayth of riſt. At *Neocæſarea* in *Ponius* of *S. Athenoi* Biſhop, Brother to *S. Gregory Thaumaus*, who in the perſecution of *Aurelianus* ownad for doctrine accomplished his rtyrdome. In *Meſopotamia* at the Riuer ke of *Euphrates*, of S. *Iulian* Hermit. At e of S. *Triphonia*, ſometymes wyfe to *ius* Emperour, who lyeth buryed in the ult neere to S. *Hippolytus*.

E *The nynetenth Day*.

AT *Rome* the birth-day of the holy Martyrs *Ptolomeus* and *Lucius*, vnder *rcus Antoninus*; of whome *Ptolomæus*, as *inus* writeth, hauing conuerted a lewd man to the fayth of Chriſt, and taught to imbrace Chaſtity, being therfore acd by a certaine ſhameleſſe fellow bee *Vrbicius* the Gouernour, and caſt into a thſome priſon, at laſt openly profeſſing riſt his maiſter, receaued the ſentence of th: The which *Lucius* freely reprouing, profeſſing himſelf a Chriſtiã alſo, receaI the like ſentence by the ſaid *Vrbicius*. whome was alſo ioyned a third, and ndemned to ſuffer the ſame death. At *An*h of the holy Martyrs *Berenicus* & *Pelagia* Virgin,

there endured, togeather with th
a Ebroi- teyned the palme of Martyrdom
ens. *Eureux* of S. *Aquilinus* Biſhop and
ſor. In the territory of *Orleans* the
tion of S. *Veranus* Biſhop. At *Sale*
Euſterius Biſhop. In *Ireland* of S. Et
bot. At *Oxford* in *England*, of S. F
Virgin.

F *The twentith Day.*

a Auia. AT(a) *Abia* neere *Aquila* in *Abru*
birth-day of S. *Maximus* Dea
Martyr, who for the deſire he had t
freely offered himſelf to the perſecut
ſought him, & after a conſtant co

nents which the holy Virgin *Fides* had ured for Chriſt, inflamed therewith, ed vnto God, that if he thought him thy of the glory of Martyrdome, a ng of water might flow out of a ſtone ne Denne where he lay; which God ting, he went confidently to the place ombat, and vnder *Maximianus* Empe-r, by a renowned conflict deſerued the ne of Martyrdome. At *Antioch* of S. *Ar-us* Prime-Captaine of the Emperour, o vnder *Conſtantine* the Great, hauing chiefe Commaund in the warres, was *lian* the Apoſtata, whome he had accu-of cruelty towards Chriſtians, grieuouſ-ormented, beaten with cudgells, and fi-ly beheaded. At *Cullen* the paſſion of the y Virgins *Martha* and *Saula* with many ers. At *Minden* the birth-day of S. *Feli-us* Biſhop & Martyr. In *Portugall* of S. *nes* Virgin and Martyr. At *Paris* of the nts *George* Deacon, and *Aurelius*. In the ritory of *Rhemes* of S. *Sindulphus* Cõfeſſor.

G *The one and twentith Day.*

N *Cyprus* the birth-day of S. *Hilarion* Ab-bot, whoſe life full of vertues and mira-s S. *Hierome* hath left written. At Cullen

the

the birth-day of the Saints *Vrſula*, and her fellowes, who for the Chriſtian Fayth and defence of their Virginity, being killed by the barbarous *Hunnes*, ended their liues by Martyrdome. Very many of their holy bodies were buried at *Cullen*. At *Oſtia* of *S. Aſterius* Prieſt and Martyr, who, as is recorded in the Martyrdome of S. *Calliſtus* Pope, ſuffered vnder *Alexander* Emperour. At *Nicomedia* the birth-day of the Saints *Daſius*, *Zoticus*, and *Caius*, and twelue other ſouldiers, who after many torments were drowned in the ſea. At *Marana* in *Syria* neere *Amioch*, of S. *Malchus* Monke. At *Lyons* of S. *Viator* Deacon to S. *Iuſtinus* Biſhop of the ſame Citty. At (a) *Laon* of S. *Cilinia* Mother to S. *Remigius* Biſhop of *Rhemes*.

(a) Laudun.

A *The two and twentith Day.*

AT *Hieruſalem* of S. *Marke* Biſhop, a mã of great renowne and learning, who firſt of all the Gentils gouerned the Church of *Hieruſalem*, and not long after obteyned the crowne of Martyrdome, vnder *Antoninus* Emperour. At *Hadrianople* in *Thracia* the birth-day of the holy Martyrs *Philip* Biſhop, *Seuerus* Prieſt, *Euſebius* and *Hermes*, who after impryſonment, and other torments vn-

der

Iulian the Apoſtata were burned. Alſo
e holy Martyrs *Alexander* Biſhop, *Hera-*
Souldier, and his fellowes. At *Fermo* in
-Ancona of S. *Philip* Biſhop and Mar-
At (a) *Hueſca* in *Spayne* of the holy Vir- a Oſca.
Numilon, and *Alodia* ſyſters, who for
eſſion of Chriſt being beheaded by
Saracens, finiſhed their Martyrdome.
ullen of S. *Cordula* Virgin, one of S. *Vr-*
Company, who being terrifyed the
day with the ſlaughter of her fellowes
herſelfe, but on the morrow repenting
therof, diſcouered herſelf to the *Hunnes*,
laſt of all receaued the crowne of
tyrdome. At *Hierapolis* in *Phrygia* of S.
cius Biſhop, who flouriſhed vnder *Mar-*
Antoninus Emperour. At *Roan* of S. *Mela-*
Biſhop, who being ordayned by S. *Ste-*
Pope, was ſent thither to preach the
ſpell. At *Fieſoli* in *Tuſcany* of S. *Donatus*
ottiſh man by birth, and Biſhop of that
y. At *Verona* of S. *Verecundus* Biſhop &
ſeſſour. At *Hieruſalem* of S. *Mary Sala-*
who, as the holy Ghoſpell recordeth,
very careſull about the buriall of our
d.

IN *Spayne* neere vnto *Cales*, of t
Martyrs *Seruandus* and *Germanus*,
the perſecution of *Diocletian*, vnd
Lieutenant, after torments, loathſo
pryſon, affliction of hunger and thi
the toyle of a long voyage, which t
dured being ſore loaden with irons
ended the courſe of their Martyrd
being beheaded. The holy body of
[a] Emeri- *nus* is kept at (a) *Merida*, and that of
ta. *dus* at *Seuill.* At *Antioch* in *Syria* the
day of S. *Theodorus* Prieſt, who be
prehended in the perſecution of
Iulian, after he had endured the tor
Equuleus, and many other moſt cru
ments, hauing alſo his ſides burne
fiery lampes, and ſtill perſiſting in t
feſſion of Chriſt, finally ended his M
dome by the ſword. At *Conſtantinopl*
Ignatius Biſhop, who being many
iniured, and dryuen alſo into bani
by *Bardas* the Emperour, whome he
prehended for putting away his wy
led back againe & reſtored to his B
ricke by *Nicolas* Pope of *Rome*, finall
[b] Burdi- **in peace.** At (b) Bourdeaux of S. *Se*
gala.

iſhop of *Cullen*, and Confeſſour. At *Roan* S. *Romanus* Biſhop. At *Salerno* of S. *Verus* iſhop. In the territory of *Amiens* of S. *Do-tius* Prieſt. In the territory of *Poitiers* of S. *net* Confeſſor.

C *The foure and twentith Day.*

AT (a) *Venoſa* in *Apulia* the birth-day of the holy Martyrs *Felix* an *Affrican* Bi-op, *Audactus* and *Iauuarius* Prieſts, *Fortuna-s* and *Septimus* Lectors, who in the perſe-ution of *Diocletian*, hauing byn a long tyme exed, and afflicted with impriſonment & tters, both in *Affrica* and *Sicily*, by *Magdel-nus* Gouernour, when *Felix* would by no eanes deliuer vp the ſacred Bookes, ac-ording to the Emperours Edict, were all t the length beheaded. At *Nagran* a Citty i the Countrey of the *Homerites*, the Mar-rdome of the Saintes *Aretas*, and three undred and fourty of his fellowes, in the me of *Iuſtinus* Emperour, vnder *Dunaan* a ewiſh Tyrant. After whome alſo a Chri-ian woman was burned, whoſe little nne, being but a child of fiue yeares old, id ſtammeringly confeſſing Chriſt, when eyther by feare or flattery, he could be ayed from running into the fyre, was fi-nally

a Venuſ

nally burned with his Mother. At
S. *Euergiſtus* Biſhop and Martyr. At
tinople of S. *Proclus* Biſhop. In little
the depoſitiō of S. *Maglorius* Biſhop
body lyeth buried at *Paris*. In the
ry of *Vertan*, of S. *Martin* Abbot. In
of S. *Marcus* Anchoret, whoſe wor
ſes S. *Gregory* hath written.

D. *The fiue and twentith*

AT *Rome* of the holy Martyrs
thus, and *Daria* his wyfe, w
many afflictions, which they had
for Chriſt vnder *Celerinus* Gouerno
commaunded by *Numerianus* Emp
be caſt into a ſandpit, in the way S
there to be ouerwhelmed with ea
ſtones. Alſo at *Rome* the birth-day o
& ſix holy Souldiers, who being
tized by S. *Dionyſius* Pope, were b
maundment of *Claudius* Emperour
ded, and lye buried in the forſaid
Salaria, togeather with an hundred
& twenty other Martyrs, amongſt
were alſo foure Chriſtian Souldie
Succeſſo. *doſius*, *Lucius*, *Marcus* and *Peter*. At
13. in *France* of the holy Martyrs *Criſpi*
Criſpinianus Noble Romans, who

cution of *Diocletian*, vnder *Rictiouarus* dent, after most cruell torments being e, obteyned the crowne of Martyr-; whose bodies were afterwards trans-d to *Rome*, and there honorably en-l in the Church of Saint *Laurence*, in *disperna*. At *Florence* the passion of S. *tes* a Souldier, who vnder *Decius* Em-r striuing most valiatly for the fayth hrist, was crowned with a famous yrdome. At (c) *Torre* in *Sardinia* of the Martyrs *Protus* Priest, and *Ianuarius* on, who being sent by S. *Caius* Pope hat Iland, vnder *Diocletian*, by *Barba-* ie President were put to death. At *ntinople* the passion of the Saints *Mar-* Subdeacon, and *Marcianus* Chantor, vnder *Constantius* Emperour, were by the Heretiques. At *Rome* of S. *Boni-* Pope and Confessour. At (d) *Perigueux* *nce*, of S. *Fronto*, who being ordayned p by S. *Peter* the Apostle, and sent thi-with *George* Priest, after he had conuer-great multitude of that Nation to st, famous for miracles rested in peace. *rescia* the birth-day of S. *Gaudentius* op, renowned for doctrine and holi-At *Gaualo* of *S. Hilary* Bishop.

b In pane & perna.

c Turres

d Petra goricus

E *The ſix and twentith Day.*

AT *Rome* of S. *Euariſtus* Pope and M
tyr, who vnder *Hadrian* Emperou
dorned the Church of God with his blo
In *Affrica* of the holy Martyrs *Rogati*
Prieſt, and *Feliciſsimus*, who in the perſe
tion of *Valerian* and *Gallienus* were cro
ned with a renowned Martyrdome:
whome S. *Cyprian* alſo writeth in his E
ſtle to the Confeſſours. At *Nicomedia* o
holy Martyrs *Lucianus*, *Florius*, and their
lowes. The ſame day of S. *Quod-vult-*
Biſhop of *Carthage*, who togeather with
Clergy, being by *Geiſericus* an *Arian* Ki
put into broken ſhippes without oare
ſailes, and ſo committed to the ſea, bey
all expectation aryued at *Naples*, and t
in baniſhment dyed a Confeſſor. At *Na*
ne of S. *Ruſticus* Biſhop and Confeſſor, v
flouriſhed in the dayes of *Valentinianus*,
Leo Emperours. At *Salerno* of S. *Gaud*
Papia. Biſhop. At (a) *Pauia* of S. *Fulcus* Biſhop
ſo of S. *Quadrageſimus* Subdeacon, who
ſed a dead man to life.

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F *The ſeauen and twentith Day.*

THE Vigill of the holy Apoſtles *Simon* and *Iude*. At *Auila* in *Spayne* the paſſion of the Saints *Vincentius*, *Sabina* and *Chriſteta*, who being moſt cruelly racked vpon the torture *Equuleus* vntill all their ioynts were looſed, and their brayns beaten out with great barres, accompliſhed their Martyrdome, vnder *Dacianus* Preſident. At the Caſtle of *Tyle*, of S. *Florentius* Martyr. In *Cappadocia* of the holy Martyrs *Capitolina*, & *Protheides* her hand-maid, who ſuffered vnder *Diocletian*. In *India* of S. *Frumentius* Biſhop, who being there firſt a Bond-ſlaue, and afterward ordayned Biſhop by S. *Athanaſius*, did greatly propagate the Ghoſpell of Chriſt in thoſe Partes. In *Æthiopia* of S. *Aesbaan* King, who when he had ouercome the enemyes of Chriſt, ſending his Crowne to *Hieruſalem*, in the tyme of *Iuſtinus* Emperour, became a Monke as he had vowed, and finally in great holines departed to our Lord.

G *The eight and twentith Day.*

THE birth-day of the holy Apoſtles *Simon Cananæus*, and *Thaddeus*, who is alſo called *Iudas*; of whome, *Simon* preached the Ghoſpell in *Aegypt*, and *Thaddæus* in *Meſopotamia*; and afterwards going togeather into *Perſia*, when they had conuerted an infinite multitude of that Nation to the fayth of Chriſt, accompliſhed their Martyrdome. At *Rome* of S. *Cyrilla* Virgin, daughter to S. *Triphonia*, who vnder *Claudius* Emperour was put to death for Chriſt. There alſo S. *Anaſtaſia* the Elder, Virgin, and *Cyrill* Martyrs, of whome, *Anaſtaſia* in the perſec tion of *Valerianus* vnder *Probus* Gouern being bound with chaines, buffetted, mented with fyre, and whippes, and perſiſting conſtant in the confeſſion Chriſt, hauing her breaſts cut off, her les plucked off, her teeth broken in p her hands and feete cut off, being f beheaded, went triũphantly to her S adorned with ſo many iewels of M dome. *Cyrillus* alſo giuing her, at her r a cup of water to drinke, for his rew ceaued a Crowne of Martyrdome. *of S. Fidelis* Martyr, vnder Maximi

r. At *Mentz* of S. *Ferrutius* Martyr. At
ux of S. *Faron* Bishop and Confes- a Me
t *Naples* of S. *Gaudiosus*, an *Affrican* Bi-
who to auoid the persecution of the
s, comming thence into *Campania*, in
astery at *Naples* made a holy end. At
of S. *Honoratus* Bishop.

The nyne and twentith Day.

ucania in the Kingdome of *Naples*, of
holy Martyrs *Hyacinthus*, *Quintius*, *Fe-*
and *Lucius*. At *Sidon* in *Phœnicia* of S.
s Priest, who in the rage of the last
ition exhorting others to Martyr-
was himselfe also made worthy of
nour. The same day of the holy Bi-
Maximilianus Martyr, and *Valentinus*
ssor. At (a) *Bergamo* of S. *Eusebia* Vir- a Ber
l Martyr. At *Hierusalem* the birth-day mum.
Narcissus Bishop, greatly renowned
lines, Patience, and Fayth, who
an hundred and sixteene yeares,
d to our Lord. At (b) *Ausium* of S. b Aug
lhop and Confessor. At *Cassiopis* in stodun
d of *Corcyra* of S. *Donatus*, of whome
ory Pope writeth. At *Vienna* the de-
n of S. *Theodorus* Abbot.

Centurion, who vnder *agri*
nant to the Gouernour, being
compliſhed his Martyrdome.
of the holy Martyrs *Chronion*,
rius, and thirteene others, vnde
perour. There alſo of S. *Eut*
who for viſiting the holy M
with them ſo long tormented
vp the Ghoſt. At (b) *Callari* i
S. *Saturninus* Martyr, who in
tion of *Diocletian*, was beheade
barus Preſident. At *Apamea* of
Martyr vnder the ſame *Diocleti*
in *Spayne* of the holy Martyrs
percus, and *Victorius*, ſonnes to *S*
Centurion, who in the perſec
cletian and *Maximian*. vnder D

b Cara-lis.

c Legio.

artyr. At *Antioch* of S. *Serapion* Bishop, re-
wned for learning. At *Capua* of S. *Ger-*
n Bishop and Confessor, a man of great
lines, whose soule, in the houre of his
ith, was by S. *Benet* seene carryed vp to
uen. At (e) *Potenza* in *Lucania* of S. *Gerard*
shop.

e Potentia.

C *The one and thirtith Day.*

THE Vigill of All-Saints. At *Rome* the birth-day of S. *Nemesius* Deacon, and *Lucilla* his daughter a Virgin, who when ey could by no meanes, be brought to rsake the fayth of Christ, were by com-undement of *Valerianus* Emperour, neaded vpon the fiue and twentith day *August*: whose bodyes being first buryed S. *Stephen* Pope, and afterward on this more decently entombed by S. *Xistus* he way called *Appia*, Pope *Gregory* the h translated into the Oratory of the urch of *Sancta Maria Noua*, togeather h the Saints *Symphronius*, *Olimpius* a Tri-ne, *Exuperia* his wyse, and *Theodulus* his ne, who being all conuerted by the in-try of *Symphronius*, and baptized by the e *S. Stephen*, were crowned with Mar-lome. All whose bodies being there

found in the tyme of Pope GREG
the thirteenth, were more honourably
ced vnder the Alтar of the ſame Ch
vpon the eight day of *December*. The
day of the Saints *Ampliatus*, *Vrbanus*
Narciſſus, of whome S. *Paul* maketh
tion, writing to the *Romans*; who fo
fayth of Chriſt were ſlaine by the Iew
Gentills. At (a) *Saint Quintins* in *France*
Quintinus a Cittizen and Senatour of
Martyred vnder *Maximianus* Empe
whoſe body after fifty fiue yeares, w
the reuelation of an Angell found
corrupt. At *Conſtantinople* of *S. Stachy*
ſhop, who was ordeyned the firſ
ſhop of that Citty, by S. *Andrew* the
ſtle. At *Millan* of S. *Antoninus* Biſhop
Confeſſor. At *Ratiſbone* of S. *Wolfgang*
ſhop.

(a) Augu-
ſta Vero-
mandu-
orum.

THE
ONETH
F NOVEMBER.

D, *The first Day.*

THE Festiuity of *All-Saints*, which in honour of the Blessed Virgin *Mary* the Mother of God, and of all holy Martyrs, Pope *Bonifacius* the fourth, (hauing first dedicated to, se the Temple of *Pantheon*) ordayned kept solemnely, euery yeare in the of *Rome*: And afterward Pope *Gre-* he fourth decreed, that the same Festi- which at that tyme, was diuersly kept ndry Churches, should on this day ually be obserued with solemnity of

the

the Vniuerſall Church, in honour
Saints. At *Terracina* in *Campania* the
day of S. *Cæſarius* Deacon, who for
dayes being pyned in pryſon, was
ther with S. *Iulian* Prieſt, put into
and caſt headlong into the ſea. At (a)
in *Burgundy* of S. *Benignus* Prieſt, who
ſent into *France* by S. *Polycarpe* to prea
Ghoſpell of Chriſt, after he had be
uers wayes moſt cruelly tormented,
Marcus Aurelius Emperour, by *Terentiu*
ge, hauing his necke broken with ar
barre, and his body thruſt through
a Launce, accompliſhed his Martyr
The ſame day of Saint *Mary* a bond
man, who being accuſed for a
ſtian, vnder *Hadrian* Emperour, an
cruelly whipped, then racked vpo
torture *Equuleus*, & torne with iron h
accompliſhed her Martyrdome. At D
eo the paſſion of the Saints *Cæſarius*, D
and fyue others. In *Perſia* of the holy
tyrs *Iohn* Biſhop, and *Iames* Prieſt, vnd
pores King. At *Tharſus* of the Saints *S*
and *Iuliana*, vnder *Maximianus* Empe
At *Auuergne* of S. *Auſtremonius* the firſ
ſhop of that Citty. At *Paris* the depoſ
of S. *Marcellus* Biſhop. At (b) *Bayeux*
Vigor Biſhop, who liued in the tyr

a Diuio.

b Bale.

ng *Childebert* of *France*. At (c) *Tiuoli* of S. *ierinus* Monke. In (d) *Gastinois* of S. *Matu-us* Confessour.

c Tibu
d VVastinum.

E *The second Day.*

THE Commemoration of all faythfull Soules departed out of this lyfe. The ne day, the birth-day of S. *Victorinus* Bi-op of *Poitiers*, who after he had written any learned bookes, as witnesseth *S. Hie-me*, in the persecution of *Diocletian*, was owned with Martyrdome. At (a) *Trieste* e passion of S. *Iustus*, who in the same rsecution accomplished his Martyrdome, ıder *Manatius* President. At *Sebasta* of the ıly Martyrs *Carterius*, *Styriacus*, *Tobias*, *Eu-xius*, *Agapius*, and their fellowes, vnder *Li-ıius* Emperour. In *Persia* of the holy Mar-rs *Acyndinus*, *Pegasius*, *Aphthonius*, *Elpidepho-s*, and *Anempodistus*, with many others of ıeir fellowes. In *Affrica* of the holy Mar-rs *Publius*, *Victor*, *Hermes* & *Papias*. At *Thar-s* in *Cilicia* of S. *Eustochium* Virgin & Mar-yr, who vnder *Iulian* the Apostata, after ıost cruell torments, gaue vp her soule in rayer. At *Laodicea* in *Syria* of S. *Theodotus* ıishop, renowned for many vertues. At *ienna* of S. *George* Bishop. In the Mona-

a Tergeste,

sterv

stery of (b) *S. Maurice* in *Suitzerland*, *Ambrose* Abbot. At *Cyrus* in *Syria* of S. *cianus* Confessor.

F *The third Day.*

THE birth-day of S. *Quartus* Dis of the Apostles. At *Cæsarea* in *C docia* of the holy Martyrs *Germanus*, *The lus*, *Cæsarius*, and *Vitalis*, who in the pers tion of *Decius* suffered a famous Ma dome. At (a) *Saragoza* of innumerable Martyrs, who vnder *Dacianus* Preside *Spayne*, with wonderfull feruour, gaue liues for Christ. At *Viterbo* of the holy tyrs *Valentinus* Priest, and *Hilarius* Dea who in the persecution of *Maximianus* for the fayth of Christ cast into the riue *Tybur*, with a great stone tyed to their kes, but being miraculously deliuered an Angell, finally by being beheaded ceaued the crowne of Martyrdome. In *gland* of S. *Winefride* Virgin and Marty the Monastery of *Clareuallis* the depos of S. *Malachy* Bishop of *Connerthen* in *land*, renowned for many vertues and racles; whose lyfe is written by S. *Be* Abbot. The same day of S. *Hubert* Bi *of Tungres*. At *Vienna* of S. *Donnus* Bisho

...nor. Also the deposition of S. Pirmi-
...us Bishop of (b) Meaux. At Vrgella in Spayne b
of S. Hermengaudius Bishop. d

G The fourth Day.

AT Bolonia of the holy Martyrs Vitalis, and Agricola, of whome the former being seruant to the latter, was made worthy to be his fellow in Martyrdome; vpon whome, the Executioners exercysed such ...ell kinds of torments, that there was ...t left one place in his body without a ...und; the which he suffering most con...tly, in prayer gaue vp his soule to God. ... Agricola being nayled to a Crosse with ...y nayles, ended his life. At the transla... of whose bodies S. Ambrose being pra... writeth that himself gathered vp the ...yrs nayles, triumphant bloud, and ...d of his Crosse, and layd them vnder ...oly Altars. The same day of the Saints ...gus, and Patrobas, disciples of S. Paul ...postle. At (a) Austum of S. Proculus ...r. In the territory of Vileassine of S. ...Priest and Martyr. At Ephesus of S. ...us Martyr, vnder Aurelianus Empe... ...t Myra in Lycia of the holy Martyrs ... Bishop, and Hermes Priest, vnder

a Augustodunū.

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der *Carus* and *Diocletian* Er
then gouerning the Chu
taught the people with g
commendation, beſides t
diuers bookes; & after th
ded, ſpending the reſt of
b Ruthe- there finally reſted in peac
bum. *France* of S. *Amantius* Biſho
holines of life and miracle
Ioannicius Abbot. At *Alba-I*
the depoſition of S. *Em*
ſonne to S. *Stephen* King o
uers of S. *Modeſta* Virgin.

A *The fifth*

uerted many to the fayth of Chriſt, ich were baptized by S. *Felix*, being at gth apprehended togeather, and both ught to the Tribunal, when they refu- to ſacrifice vnto Idolls, caſt into pry- , were the ſame night beheaded. At (a) *ſa* in *Phœnicia* of the holy Martyrs *Gala-* , and *Epiſtames* his wyfe; who in the per- ition of *Decius* being firſt whipped, and n depriued of their hands, feete, & ton- , were finally beheaded. Alſo of the ho- Martyrs *Domninus*, *Theotimus*, *Philotheus*, *anus*, and their fellowes, vnder *Maximi-* Emperour. At *Millan* of S. *Magnus* Bi- p. At *Breſcia* of S. *Dominator* Bithop. At *uers* of S. *Fibitius* Abbot. At *Orleance* of S. *us* Prieſt and Confeſſour.

(a) a Nov called Hamai

B *The ſixt Day.*

AT *Thinis* in *Affrica* the birth-day of S. *Felix* Martyr, who confeſſing him- ſe to be a Chriſtian, and his torments ferred, was the day following (as rela- h Saint *Auguſtine*, in his expoſition of a lme vpon his Feaſt-day to the people) ind dead in pryſon. At *Theopolis* of ten ly Martyrs, who are ſayd to haue ſuffe- death by the *Saracens*. At (a) Barcelona, of

of S. *Severus* Bishop and Martyr, wh
defence of the Catholique fayth, hau
nayle strocken into his head, receaue
crowne of Martyrdome. In *Phrygia*
Atticus. At *Berges* in *Flanders* of S. *W*
Abbot, renowned for many vertue
miracles, who in all humility serued
long tyme, the Religious of his Mon
being his subiects. At *Fundi* in *Campa*
S. *Felix* Monke. At (b) *Limoges* in *Aq*
of S. *Leonard* Confessor, disciple of
migius Bishop, who being Nobly b
& making choyse of a solitary lyfe, w
mous for holines and miracles, esp
ly in deliuering of Captiues.

b Lemouica.

C *The seauenth Day*.

AT *Padua* the deposition of S. *Pr*
mus the first Bishop of that Citty
being ordayned by S. *Peter* the Apost
sent thither to preach the Ghospell, re
ned for many vertues and miracles

was cut off, as if no edge of ſword had touched it. The ſame day of S. *Amarantus* Martyr, who being buryed in the Citty of (a) *Albi*, after he had ended the courſe of his faythfull agony, liueth glorioufly in heauen. At *Melitine* in *Armenia* the paſſion of the Saints *Hieron*, *Nicander*, *Heſychius*, and thirty others, who were crowned with Martyrdome in the perſecution of *Dioclesian*, vnder *Lycias* Preſident. At *Amphipolis* in *Macedonia*, of the holy Martys *Auctus*, *Taurio* and *Theſſalonica*. At *Ancyra* the paſſion of the Saints *Melaſippus*, *Antonius* & *Carina*, vnder *Iuliã* the Apoſtata. At *Cullen* of *S. Engelbertus* Biſhop, who for defence of the liberyes of the Church, and obedience to the Romaine ſea, doubted not to ſuffer Maryrdome. At *Alexandria* of S. *Achillas* Biſhop, renowned for doctrine, fayth, conuerſion, and manners. In *Frizeland* the depoſion of *S. Willebrordus* Biſhop of (b) *Mayright*, who being ordayned by *S. Sergius* Pope, preached the Ghoſpell of Chriſt in *Frizeland* and *Denmarke*. At *Metz* of S. *Rufus* Biſhop and Confeſſour. At (c) *Strasburge* of *S. Florentius* Biſhop.

a Albi

b Traiectum

c Argentoratum

f S. *Willehadus* the firſt Biſhop of that ;itty, who togeather with S. *Bonifacius*, ;hoſe diſciple he was, preached the Ghoſ- ell in *Friſland* and *Saxony*. At (b) *Soiſſons* in b St rance of S. *Godfrey* Biſhop of *Amiens*, a man fic. f great holines. At *Verdun* of S. *Maurus* Bi- ;op and Confeſſor. At *Tours* of S. *Clarus* rieſt, whoſe Epitaph was written by *S. aulinus*.

E *The nynth Day.*

AT *Rome* the Dedicatiō of the Church of our Sauiour. At *Amaſia* in *Pontus* ıe birth-day of S. *Theodorus* a Souldier, ;ho in the tyme of *Maximianus* Emperour eing firſt moſt cruelly beaten for the con- ſſion of Chriſt, and then caſt into pryſon, here he was viſited by our Sauiour him- lfe, who appeared vnto him, and bid him haue himſelfe couragiouſly, & conſtant- , being afterward alſo racked vpon the rriure *Equuleus*, & torne with iron hookes, ıen till his bowells appeared, was finally rned: whoſe prayſes *S. Gregory Nyſen* in excellent oration hath celebrated. At *ana* in *Cappadocia* the paſſion of S. *Oreſtes*, nder *Diocletian* Emperour. At *Theſſalonica* of *Alexander* Martyr, vnder *Maximianus*. At (c) *Bourges*

Bourges of S. *Vrsinus* Confessor, who
ordayned at *Rome* by the successors
Apostles, was sent first Bishop to tha
ty. At *Naples* in *Campania* of S. *Agrippin*
shop, renowned for miracles. At *Ca*
naple of the holy Virgins *Eustolia* a R
and *Sopatra* daughter of *Mauritius* th
perour. At *Berytus* in *Syria* the Meme
our Blessed Sauiours Image, which
crucifyed by the Iewes in derision
powre out such plenty of bloud, tha
the East and West Churches receau
bundantly therof.

F. *The tenth Day.*

THE birth-day of the holy M
Triphon, and *Respicius*, and *Nymph*
gin: In the territory of (a) *Adge* in F
of the holy Martyrs *Tyberius*, *Mo*
and *Florentia*, who in the tyme of *Dio*
hauing endured diuers torments,
their Martyrdome. At *Antioch* of the

a Agatha.

being sent into that Iland by S. *Gregory* Pope, to peach the Ghospell of Christ, renowned for sanctity of life, reposed there in our Lord. At (b) *Mellun* of *S. Leo* Confessor. At *Iconium* in *Lycaonia* of the holy women *Tryphenna*, and *Tryphosa*, who by the preaching of S. *Paul* the Apostle, and example of S. *Thecla* Virgin, greatly profited in Christian perfection. In the Iland of (c) *Lesina* of S. *Theoctistes* Virgin.

b Mi dun

c Faro

G *The eleauenth Day.*

AT *Tours* in *France* the birth-day of S. *Martin* Bishop & Confessour, whose lyfe was so renowned for miracles, that he was made worthy to be the raiser of three dead men. At *Cotyaum* in *Phrygia* the famous passion of S. *Mennas* an Aegyptian Souldier, who in the persecution of *Diocletian*, casting off his Military Cincture, and retyring himselfe into the wildernesse, the better there to serue his heauenly King; comming one day abroad, and with a free voyce professing himselfe a Christian, was first most cruelly tormented, and then at length, as he was vpon his knees in prayer giuing thankes to our Lord Iesus Christ, by being beheaded, accomplished

and *Eleusius* President, hauing byn t
with fyre, and other most cruell to
at last being condemned to be be
when the Executioner fell down
other could be found to cut off his l
prayer on his knees he reposed
Lord. At *Lyons* of S. *Veranus* Bishop
lyfe was renowned for fayth, an
other vertues. In the Monastery of
ferrata neere (a) *Frescati*, of S. *Bar*
Abbot, companion to Blessed *Nilu*
life he wrote. In the Prouince of
brazzo of S. *Mennas* Anchoret, wh
tues and miracles are renowned by
gory Pope.

a Tusculum.

b Olim Samnii.

A *The twelfth Day*

ur, apprehended by deceypt, and
: prisoner to *Constanantinople*, and
bannished into *Chersonesus*, where
:e of the Catholique Fayth pyning
'ith many miseries, famous for mi-
he ended his lyfe. His body was
:d translated to *Rome*, and buryed
a Church dedicated to S. *Siluester*, &
:. In *Asia* the passion of the Saints
and *Publius* Bishops. In the Territo-
Sens of *S. Paternus* martyr. At *Gaunt* a Senones.
nus Bishop & Martyr. In *Polonia* of
Martyrs *Benedictus*, *Iohn*, *Matthew*,
d *Christinus* Hermits. At *Auignion* in
f *S. Rufus* the first Bishop of that
t *Cullen* the depositiō of S. *Cumbers*
At (b) *Tarazona* in *Spaine* of Bles- b Turiaso.
lianus Priest, renowned for infinite
, whose marueilous lyfe is written
ulio Bishop of (c) *Saragoza*. At *Cou-* c Cæsaraugusta.
of *S. Nilus* Abbot, who being
our of a Citty, became a Monke;
ed for learning and holynes of
he dayes of *Theodosius* the yonger.
ala in *Spayne* of *S. Didacus* Confes- d Complutum.
ne Order of *S. Francis*, who was
d for a Saint by Pope *Xystus* the

who ſuffered vnder *Diocletian*
a Aquæ. At (a) *Aix* in *Prouence*, of S. *M*
renowned Martyr. At *Cæſare*
the paſſion of the Saints *Anton*
Germanus, and *Ennatha* Virgi
that ſhe had beene moſt grieu
ped, was burned vnder *Maxim*
rour: but the other three for fr
ding *Æmilianus* the Preſident,
crifyced to the Idols, were
Affrica of the holy Martyrs *Art*
ſius, *Probus*, and *Eutychianus* Spa
in the perſecution of the *Wa*
they would in no wyſe yie
Arian Hereſy, were by *Geiſe*
King ſent into banithment,
ter moſt grieuous torments en

base seruitude. At *Rome* of *S. Nicolas* Pope & Confessor. At (b) *Tours* of S. *Britius* Bishop, disciple to S. *Martin*. At *Toledo* of S. *Eugenius* Bishop and Confessour. At *Auuergne* of S. *Quinctianus* Bishop. At *Cremona* of S. *Homobonus* Confessor, who renowned for miracles was canonized for a Saint by Pope *Innocentius* the third.

b Turnes.

C *The fourtenth Day.*

AT *Heraclea* in *Thracia* the birth-day of the holy Martyrs *Clementius*, *Theodotus*, and *Philomenus*. At *Alexandria* of S. *Serapion* Martyr, who vnder *Decius* Emperour being so long tormented, vntill all the joynts of his body were loosed, and then throwne headlong from the toppe of his owne house, ended his Martyrdome. At (a) *Trois* in *France* of *S. Venerandus* Martyr, vnder *Aurelianus* Emperour. Also in *France* of S. *Veneranda* Virgin, who vnder *Antoninus* Emperour, and *Asclepiades* President, receaued the crowne of Martyrdome. At *Gangra* in *Paphlagonia* of S. *Hypatius* Bishop, who as he returned from the Great Councell of *Nice*, being stoned in the way by the *Nouatian* Heretiques, dyed a Martyr. At (b) *Emesa* the passiō of many holy women

a Tre

b Mar

who vnder *Mady* a bloudy Captaine of the *Arabians*, were for the fayth of Chriſt firſt moſt cruelly tormented, and then put to death. At *Bolonia* of S. *Iucundus* Biſhop and Confeſſor. In *Ireland* of S. *Laurence* Biſhop of *Dublin*.

D *The fiftenth Day.*

THE birth-day of *S. Eugenius* Biſhop of *Toledo* & Martyr, diſciple to S. *Denis* of *Areopagita*, who in the Territory of *Paris* receaued of our Lord a glorious Crowne of Martyrdome. His body was afterward tranſlated to *Toledo* in *Spayne*. At *Nola* in *Campania* of S. *Felix* Biſhop and Martyr, who from the fiftenth yeare of his age being renowned for miracles, at laſt finiſhed the courſe of his Martyrdome, togeather with thirty others, vnder *Marcianus* Preſident. At *Edeſſa* in *Syria* of the holy Martyrs *Gurias* and *Samonas* vnder *Diocletian* Emperour, and *Antoninus* Preſident. There alſo the paſſion of *S. Abibus* Deacon, who vnder *Licinius* Emperour, and *Liſanias* Preſident, being firſt torne with iron clawes, was finally caſt into the fyre. In *Affrica* of the holy Martyrs *Secundus*, *Fidentianus*, and *Varicus*. In little *Britany* the birth-day of S. *Mathu-*

ıop, who euen from his tender yea-
ıs renowned for miracles. At *Verona*
perius Bishop and Confessor. In *Au-*
S. *Leopoldus*, Marques of the same
ıce, who was canonized for a Saint
ɔe *Innocentius* the eight.

E *The sixteenth Day.*

Affrica of the holy Martyrs *Ruffinus,*
cus, Valerius, and their fellowes. The
ay of the holy Martyrs *Elpidius, Mar-*
Eustochius, and their companions; of
ıe, *Elpidius* being a Senatour, & con-
y confessing the name of Christ be-
ulian the Apostata, was togeather
his fellowes first dragged at the tay-
wild horses, and afterwards cast in-
fyre, accomplished a glorious Mar-
me. At *Lyons* the birth-day of S. *Eucher*
ishop and Confessor, renowned for
and learning, who being of the No-
)rder of Senatours, tooke a religious
, and of his owne accord shut him-
vp in a Caue, where a long tyme
ıg Christ in abstinence and prayer,
t last by reuelation of an Angell, so-
ely placed in the Bishops sea of the
Citty. At *Padua* of S. Fidentius Bishop

At *Canterbury* in *England* of S. *Edmund* B
ſhop, whoſe holines of life God teſtifyed b
the greatnes of his miracles. The ſame d
the depoſition of S. *Othmarus* Abbot.

F *The ſeauententh Day.*

AT *Neocæſarea* in *Ponius* the birth-da
of S. *Gregory* Biſhop, renowned fo
learning and ſanctity; who for the ſigne
& miracles which he hath wrought to th
great glory of the Church, is ſurname
Thaumaturgus. In *Paleſtine* of the holy Ma
tyrs *Alphæus* and *Zacchæus*, who in the fir
yeare of the perſecution of *Diocletian* Empe
rour, after many torments were condemne
to death. At *Cordoua* of the holy Martyrs *
ciſclus*, & *Victoria*, who in the ſame perſecu
tion, by commaundment of *Dion* the Preſi
dent, being moſt cruelly tormented, deſe
ued a glorious crowne of Martyrdome. A
Alexandria of S. *Dionyſius* Biſhop, who re
nowned for doctrine, and famous for th
many afflictions and torments which h
ſuffered for the confeſſion of his fayth, fu
of venerable old yeares died a Confeſſo
in the tyme of *Valerianus* and *Gallienus* Em
perours. At *Orleans* of S. *Anianus* Biſho
whoſe death was pretious in the ſigh

our Lord, by many miracles. In *England* of S. *Hugh* Bishop, who of a Charter-house Monke being ordayned Bishop of *Lincolne*, renowned for many miracles, rested in our Lord. At (a) *Tours* of S. *Gregory* Bishop. At *Florence* of S. *Eugenius* Confessor, & Deacon to *S. Zenobius* Bishop of the same Citty.

a Turenes.

G *The eightenth Day.*

AT *Rome* the Dedication of the Churches of the holy Apostles *S. Peter* & *S. Paul.* At *Antioch* the birth-day of *S. Romanus* Martyr, who in the tyme of *Galerius* Emperour, exhorting the Christians to withstand *Asclepiades* the Gouernour, that brake violently into the Church, and endeauored to ruyne the same, after most grieuous torments, and cutting out of his tongue (without which neuertheles he vttered the prayses of God) being finally strangled in the pryson, was crowned with a glorious Martyrdome. There suffered also before him a little boy named *Barulas*, who being demaunded, whether it were better to worship one God or many; when he answered that men ought to belieue in one God which the Christians do serue, being first sorely whipped, was afterward behea-

ded

for which cauſe, hauing a g
to his right hand, was conu
throwne headlong into a R
day of the Saintes *Oriculus*, 2
who in perſecution of the *A*
for the Catholike fayth. At *A*
ximus Biſhop, who in the ty
tius hauing ſuffered many af
Arians, dyed a Confeſſour. *A*
poſition of S. *Odo* Abbot of
ioch of S. *Thomas* Monke, whe
people of *Antioch* do yearly
that by his prayers he ceaſed
in that Citty. At *Luca* in *Tuſ*
ſtation of S. *Frigidianus* Biſho
four.

ome: But his body, was afterwards
ght backe to *Rome* by *S. Fabian* Pope, &c
ed in the Church-yard of *Callistus*. At
ria of S. *Abdias* Prophet. At *Rome* in the
called *Appia*, the birth-day of *S. Mam-*
Priest and Martyr, who suffering in the
cution of *Valerianus* was buried neere
. *Xystus*. At *Cæsarea* in *Cappadocia* of *S.*
am Martyr, who although rude and
rant, yet armed with the wisdome of
ſt, ouercame the Tyrant, and vanqui-
euen the fire it ſelf with the conſtancy
s fayth. Vpon whoſe Feſtiuity *S. Basil*
Great, made a famous Sermon. At (a) [a] Aſſi
in *Spaine* of S. *Criſpinus* Biſhop, who [gis.
g beheaded, obteyned the Crowne of
tyrdome. At *Vienne* in *France* of the ho-
lartyrs *Severinus*, *Emperius* and *Felicia-*
whoſe bodies after many yeares being
d out by reuelation, were by the Bi-
, Clergy, and people of that Citty ta-
vp, and more honourably enterred, as
deſerued. The ſame day of S. *Faustus*
con of *Alexandria*, who firſt in the per-
tion of *Valerianus*, being ſent into ba-
ment with S. *Dionyſius*, was afterward
er *Diocletian*, in his old age beheaded,
ſo accompliſhed his Martyrdome. In
ia the paſſion of the Saints Arm, and of

an

departed to our Lord.

B *The twentith Day.*

AT *Meſsina* in *Sicily* of the ho
tyrs *Ampelus* and *Caius*. At(a)
the holy Martyrs *Octauius*, *Seluator*,
uentor Souldiers of the *Theban* Legi
vnder *Maximianus* Emperour, v
fighting were crowned with Mart
At *Cæsarea* in *Paleſtine* of S. *Agapius*
who vnder *Maximinus* being fi
demned to be deuoured of the bea
nothing at all hurt by them, wa
caſt into the ſea, with ſtones tye
feete. In *Perſia* the paſſion of th
Nerſas Biſhop and his fellowes. A

a Tauli-
nus.

At *Constantinople* of S. *Gregory*
ho suffered many afflictions
ip of holy Images. At *Millan*
Bishop, who gouerned the
nitted to his charge, with
cy and piety, in many vexa-
rous people. At (b) *Cauaillon* b Calli.
Bishop, who in the two and lo.
of his priesthood, in all ver-
s departed to our Lord. At
Simplicius Bishop and Con-

e one and twentith Day.

usalem the Presentation of
ssed Virgin *Mary*, Mother of
Temple. The same day the
. *Rufus*, of whome S. *Paul* the
th to the *Romans*. At *Rome* the
Saints *Celsus* and *Clemens*. At
oly Martyrs *Demetrius* and *Ho-*
nes of S. *Albert* Bishop of *Liege*,
who was killed for defence of
f the Church. In *Spayne* of the
Honorius, *Eutychius* & *Stephen*.
of S. *Heliodorus* Martyr, in the
f *Aurelianus*, vnder *Aetius* Presi-
hose Martyrdome his Execu-

tioners being conuerted to the fayth, were drowned in the ſea. At *Rome* of S. *Gelaſius* Pope, renowned for learning and holines. At *Verona* of S. *Maurus* Biſhop and Confeſſour. In the Monaſtery of *Bobi* in *Lombardy*, the depoſition of S. *Columbanus* Abbot, Founder of many Monaſteryes, & the Father of many Monkes, who renowned for vertues and miracles, in a good old age repoſed in our Lord.

D *The two and twentith Day.*

AT *Rome*, of S. *Cecily* Virgin and Martyr, by whoſe counſell and exhortation *Valerianus* her Spouſe, and his brother *Tiburtius* came to belieue in Chriſt, and for the ſame ſuffered Martyrdome; after whoſe death *Almachius* Gouernour of the Citty, cauſed to be her firſt apprehēded, thē cruelly tormented by fyre, & finally beheaded, in the time of *Marcus Aurelius Seuerus Alexander* Emperour. At *Coloſſus* in *Phrygia* of the Saints *Philemon* and *Apphias* Diſciples of S. *Paul* the Apoſtle, vnder *Nero* Emperour, who vpon the feaſt-day of *Diana*, being by the Gentills taken in the Church at prayer, were by the commaundment of *Artocles* firſt whipped, and then thowne in-

a pit of earth vp to the middle, were re ouerwhelmed with ſtones. Alſo at ne of S. *Maurus* Martyr, who comming t of *Affrica* to viſit the Sepulchers of the oly Apoſtles, vnder *Numerianus* Empe-ir, and *Celerinus* Gouernour of the Citty, is there martyred. At *Antioch* in *Piſidia* : paſſion of the Saints *Marcus* and *Ste-n*, vnder *Diocletia* Emperour. At(a) *Auſtum* S. *Pragmatius* Biſhop and Confeſſour.

a Anti-ſiodorū.

E *The three and twentith Day.*

THE birth-day of *S. Clement* Pope, who in the third place after S. *Peter* Apoſtle, held the ſea of *Rome*, and in the ſecution of *Traian* baniſhed into *Cherſo-us*, being throwne into the ſea with an ker tyed to his necke, was crowned th Martyrdome. Whoſe body vnder pe *Nicolas* the firſt, being brought to ne, was very honourably placed in a urch there built & dedicated in his ho-ur. At *Rome* of S. *Felicitas* the Mother of ven ſonnes Martyrs; who alſo after thē, cōmaundment of *Marcus Antoninus* Em-our, was beheaded for Chriſt. At(a) *Me-in Spayne* of S. *Lucretia* Virgin & Mar-, who in the perſecution of *Diocletian*

a Emē-ſita.

ſhop, who being companion
S. Gregory Nazianzen, both in
Epiſcopall dignity, after m
ſuffered for the Catholike fayt
for learning and holines of li
[b] Agri-gentum. peace. At (b) *Girgenti* the dep
Gregory Biſhop. In the Villa
Trone, of S. *Trudo* Prieſt and C

F *The foure and twen*

THE birth-day of S. *Chr*
tyr, who hauing moſt c
dured long impryſonment, f
ments for the confeſſion of
by commaundment of *Dioc*
rour brought to *Aquileia*, and

with burning lampes, and otherwaies fomented, gaue vp her ſoule to God. At *Comiuch* of S. *Alexander* Martyr, who vnder *Iulian* the Apoſtata, and *Saluſtius* Preſident, fought victorioufly for the fayth of Chriſt, euen till death. At *Cordoua* of the holy Virgins and Martyrs *Flora* and *Maria*, who after long impryſonment, in the perſecution of the *Arabians*, were killed by the ſword. At *Perugia* of S. *Feliciſsimus* Martyr. At *Millan* of S. *Protaſius* Biſhop, who both in preſence of the Emperour *Conſtans*, and alſo in the Councell of *Sardica*, ſtoutly defended the cauſe of S. *Athanaſius*; and finally hauing taken very great paines for the Fayth, and Church committed to his charge, departed happily to our Lord. In the Caſtle of (a) *Blais* in *Gaſcoigne* of S. *Romanus* Prieſt, renowned for holines of life and miracles. In the territory of *Auuergne* of S. *Portianus* Abbot, who in the tyme of King *Theodericus* was famous for miracles.

(a) Blaiſium.

G *The fiue and twentith Day.*

THE birth-day of S. *Catherine* Virgin and Martyr, who for confeſſion of the *Chriſtian fayth*, being firſt caſt into priſon *Alexandria*, vnder *Maximinus* Emperour,

and afterwards moſt cruelly beaten with whippes called *Scorpions*, at length beheaded, accompliſhed her Martyrdome. Whoſe holy body being miraculouſly carryed by Angells vnto Mount *Sinai*, is there honoured with great reuerence, through the frequent concourſe of Chriſtians. At *Rome* of S. *Moyſes* Prieſt and Martyr, whome S. *Cyprian* often comforted by his letters whileſt he was deteyned in pryſon: and when he had with inuincible fortitude and courage, withſtoode not only the Gentills, but the Sciſmatikes alſo, and Nouatian Heretikes, was finally (as Pope *Cornelius* witneſſeth) in the perſecution of *Decius* crowned with a famous, and moſt renowned Martyrdome. At *Antioch* of S. *Eraſmus* Martyr. At *Cæſarea* in *Cappadocia* the paſſion of S. *Mercurius* Souldier, who by protection of his Angell-Keeper, hauing vanquiſhed the Barbarians, and alſo ouercome the cruelty of *Decius* Emperour, enriched with the trophyes of his many combats, was finally crowned with Martyrdome. In *Æmilia* a Prouince of *Italy*, of S. *Iucunda* Virgin.

A The ſixt and twentith Day.

AT *Alexandria* the birth-day of S. *Peter* Biſhop of the ſame citty, who renowed for all kind of vertues, was by comandment of *Maximinus* Emperour beheaed. There ſuffered alſo at *Alexandria* in the ne perſecution, the holy Martyrs *Fauſtus* ieſt, *Didius*, and *Ammonius*; and alſo *Phis*, *Heſychius*, *Pachomius*, and *Theodorus* Biops of Ægypt, with ſix hundred & threeore others, who by the ſword of the perutor, were all ſent to heauen. At *Nicodia* of S. *Marcellus* Prieſt, who in the tyme *Conſtantius* Emperour, being caſt downe adlong from a rocke by the *Arians*, dyed Martyr. At *Padua* of S. *Bellinus* Biſhop & artyr. At (a) *Auſtum* of S. *Amator* Biſhop. a Aug ſtodu
: *Conſtans* in *Germany* of S. *Conradus* Biop. At *Fabriano* in (b) *Marc-Ancona* of S. b Pice num.
ueſter Abbot, Founder of the Congrega- n of the Monkes called *Silueſtrines*. In the rritory of *Rhemes* the birth-day of S. *Baſo* Confeſſour. At *Hadrianople* in *Paphlagonia* S. *Stylianus* Anchoret, famous for mira-s. In *Armenia* of S. *Nicon* Monke.

B *The ſeauen and twentith*

AT *Antioch* of the holy Martyrs
ſhop, *Auxilius* and *Saturninus*.
of S. *Iames* ſurnamed *Interciſus*, a re
Martyr, who in the tyme of *Theo*
yonger, hauing denyed Chriſt to
degerdes King of *Perſia*, for which
Mother, and his wyfe had with
themſelues from his company, at l
goodnes of God returning to hir
went vnto the King, and confeſſe
his fayth, who being therewith e
offended, commaunded him to be
cut in peeces, and beheaded: at w
innumerable other Martyrs ſuffer
ſame place. At *Sebaſta* in *Armen*
Saintes *Hirenarchus*, *Acacius* Prieſt,
uen women Martyrs, by whoſe
Hirenarchus being conuerted vnt
vnder *Diocletian* Emperour, and
Preſidēt, was together with *Acac*
ded. In *Gallicia*, at the Ryuer C
Saints *Facundus* and *Primitiuus*, ſo
Marcellus Martyr, who ſuffered vn
tian Emperour, and Attius Preſid
quileia of S. *Valerianus* Biſhop. P
Prouence, of S. *Maximus* Biſhop

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ſor, who from his tender yeares, being adorned with all kind of vertue, was ordayned the firſt Abbot of the Monaſtery of *Lirinum*, and afterwards Biſhop of the Church of *Ries*, where famous for ſanctity and miracles, he finally reſted in our Lord. In *India* neere to the *Perſians*, of the Saints *Barlaam* and *Ioſaphat*, whoſe admirable acts S. *Iohn Damaſcen* hath left written. At *Paris* the depoſition of S. *Seuerinus* Monke, and Anchoret.

C *The eight and twentith Day.*

AT *Rome* of S. *Rufus* Martyr, who with all his family, vnder *Diocletian* Emperour, was put to death, for the fayth of Chriſt. At *Corinth* the birth-day of S. *Soſthenes* diſciple to S. *Paul* the Apoſtle, of whome he maketh mention, writing to the *Corinthians*. This man of a Prince of the Synagogue, being conuerted vnto Chriſt, & cruelly beaten before the proconſul *Gallion*, gaue thereby a moſt renowned teſtimony of the firſt fruits of his fayth. In *Affrica* of the holy Martyrs *Papinianus* and *Menſuetus* Biſhops, who in the perſecution of the *Wandalls*, vnder *Genſericus* the *Arian* King, hauing their bodies ſore burned with hoat fiery plates and

their liues. At *Constantinople* of th
Martyrs *Stephen* the yonger, *Basil*
Andrew, and of three hundred an
nyne Monkes their fellowes, wh
Constantinus Copronymus, for worſ
holy Images, being ſundry wayes t
ted, confirmed the Catholique veri
the effuſion of their bloud. At *Ron*
Gregory Pope, the third of that Nan
renowned for holines of life, an
workes, departed to our Lord.

D *The nyne and twentith l*

THE *Vigil* of the holy Apoſtle

eaten alſo with cudgells, and whips cal-ed *Scorpions*, were finally beheaded. At *Toſa* of S. *Saturninus* Biſhop, who in the tyme of *Decius* Emperour, being apprehended by the Pagáns, & brought to the Capitoll of that Citty, was throwne downe headlong from the higheſt ſtaires of the ſame, wherby hauing his braynes daſhed out, & his body all bruized, he rendred vp his worthy ſoule to God. Alſo the paſſion of the Saints *Paramon*, and of three hundred ſeauenty & fyue more of his fellowes, vnder *Decius* Emperour, and *Aquilinus* Preſident. At *Ancyra* of S. *Philomenus* Martyr, who in the perſecution of *Aurelianus* Emperour, vnder *Felix* Preſident being firſt tryed by fyre, and then hauing his hands, feete, and head pierced with nayles, finiſhed his Martyrdome. At *Verulo* of the holy Martyrs *Blaſius* and *Demetrius*. At (a) *Todi* of S. *Illuminata* Virgin.

(a) Tuſcum.

E *The thirtith Day*.

AT *Patras* in *Achaia*, the birth-day of S. *Andrew* the Apoſtle, who hauing preached the Ghoſpell of Chriſt in *Thracia* and *Scythia*, was apprehended by *Aegeas* the *Proconſull*, and firſt caſt into pryſon, afterwards moſt cruelly beaten, and laſtly faſte-

ned to a Croſſe, and hanging thereon for two whole dayes togeather, teaching the people, & praying our Lord that he might not be taken downe from the Croſſe, being enuironed with a great light from heauen, gaue vp his pure holy ſoule to God. At *Rome* the paſſion of the Saints *Caſtulus* and *Euprepites*. At *Conſtantinople* of S. *Maura* Virgin and Martyr. Alſo of S. *Iuſtina* Virgin and Martyr. At (a) *Saints* of S. *Troianus* Biſhop, a man of great holines, who dying heere on earth, doth by his many miracles euidently declare he liueth in heauen. At *Rome* of S. *Conſtantius* Confeſſor, who ſtoutly reſiſting the *Pelagian* Hereticks, was through their factions greatly afflicted, and therby made partaker of many merits. In *Paleſtine* of S. *Zoſimus* Confeſſour, who vnder *Iuſtinus* Emperour, was renowned for holines of life, and miracles.

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)F DECEMBER.

F *The firſt Day.*

F *Nahum* the Prophet, who was buried in *Hegabar*. At *Rome* of the holy Martyrs *Diodorus* Prieſt, & *Marianus* Deacon, with many others, who by commaunde-
it of *Numerianus* Emperour were crow-
with Martyrdome. There alſo the paſ-
of the Saints *Lucius, Rogatus, Caſſianus, Candida.* The ſame day of S. *Anſanus*
rtyr, who vnder Diocletian Emperour
he Confeſſion of Chriſt, being appre-
'ed, & caſt into pryſon at Rome, was af-
terward

terwards brought to *Siena* in *Tuſcany*, and there beheaded, ended the courſe of his Martyrdome. At *Ameria* in *Vmbria* of S. *Olympias*, who hauing bene ſometymes Conſul, and conuerted to the fayth by S. *Firmina*, vnder *Diocletian*, being racked firſt vpon the torture *Equuleus*, finiſhed his Martyrdome. At *Arbellis* in *Perſia* of S. *Ananias* Martyr. At *Narni* of S. *Proculus* Biſhop and Martyr, who after many famous workes of Charity performed, was commaunded by *Totilas* King of the *Gothes* to be beheaded. In the Citty of *Caſala* of S. *Euaſius* Biſhop & Martyr. At *Millan* of S. *Caſtritianus* Biſhop, who in the greateſt troubles of the Church, flouriſhed in all Vertue, and Religious Piety. At *Breſcia* of S. *Vrſicinus* Biſhop. At (a) *Tournay* in *Flanders*, of S. *Eligius* Biſhop, whoſe holy lyfe is manifeſted by the number of miracles which he wrought. At *Verdun* of S. *Agericus* Biſhop. The ſame day of S. *Natalia* wyfe to S. *Adrian* Martyr, who vnder *Diocletian* Emperour, did a long tyme ſerue the holy Martyrs in pryſon at *Nicomedia* and after their paſſion, ſhe went to *Conſtantinople*, and there peaceably repoſed in our Lord.

G *The ſecond Day.*

T *Rome* the paſſion of S. *Bibiana* Vir-
gin, who vnder *Iulian* the wicked
perour was ſo long beaten with leaden
ppes, vntill ſhe gaue vp the Ghoſt.
re alſo of the holy Martyrs *Euſebius*
ſt, *Marcellus* Deacon, *Hippolytus*, *Maximus*,
s, *Paulina*, *Neon*, *Maria*, *Martana*, and *Au-*
who in the perſecution of *Valerianus*,
er *Secundianus* Iudge, finiſhed their Mar-
ome. Alſo at *Rome* of S. *Pontianus* Mar-
with foure others. In *Affrica*, the birth-
of the holy Martyrs *Seuerus*, *Securus*,
arius, and *Victorinus*, who were there
vned with Martyrdome. At *Aquileia* of
romatius Biſhop and Confeſſour. At (a) of S. *Peter* Biſhop of *Rauenna*, ſurna-
Chryſologus, renowned for doctrine and
nes. At *Verona* of S. *Lupus* Biſhop and
feſſour. At *Edeſſa* of S. *Nonnus* Biſhop,
whoſe prayers *Pelagia* the Penitent was
erted to Chriſt. At *Troas* in *Phrygia* of
luanus Biſhop, famous for miracles. At
ia of S. *Euaſius* Biſhop.

(a) a Fort Corne l.j.

A *The third Day.*

Iury of the holy Prophet Sophonias. At
ne of the holy Martyrs Claudius Tibur-

ture *Equuleus*, finiſhed his Mar
Arbellis in *Perſia* of S. *Ananias* Ma
ni of S. *Proculus* Biſhop and Mar
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lyfe is manifeſted by the numb
cles which he wrought. At *Vera*
ricus Biſhop. The ſame day o
wyfe to S. *Adrian* Martyr, who
cletian Emperour, did a long tyr

a Olim Nouio-mum.

G *The second Day.*

Rome the passion of S. *Bibiana* Vir-
in, who vnder *Iulian* the wicked
our was so long beaten with leaden
es, vntill she gaue vp the Ghost.
also of the holy Martyrs *Eusebius*
Marcellus Deacon, *Hippolytus*, *Maximus*,
aulina, *Neon*, *Maria*, *Martana*, and *Au-*
ho in the persecution of *Valerianus*,
ecundianus Iudge, finished their Mar-
e. Also at *Rome* of S. *Pontianus* Mar-
th foure others. In *Affrica*, the birth-
he holy Martyrs *Seuerus*, *Securus*,
s, and *Victorinus*, who were there
d with Martyrdome. At *Aquileia* of
atius Bishop and Confessour. At (a) a Fo. Corn l.j.
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ysologus, renowned for doctrine and
. At *Verona* of S. *Lupus* Bishop and
our. At *Edessa* of S. *Nonnus* Bishop,
se prayers *Pelagia* the Penitent was
ed to Christ. At *Troas* in *Phrygia* of
nus Bishop, famous for miracles. At
f S. *Euasius* Bishop.

A *The third Day.*

ry of the holy Prophet *Sophonias*. At
of the holy Martyrs Claudius Tri-
bune

Proconſull beheaded: Of wh
ſtine often makes mention. A
in *Affricke*, of the holy Marty
mia, Criſpinus, Felix, Gratus, &
a Nicea. At (a) *Nice* in *Prouence*, vpon t
of *S. Baſſus* Biſhop, who in th
of *Decius* & *Valerian*, being rac
torture *Equuleus* for the fayth
Perennius Preſident, burned a
plates, beaten with cudgels, a
led *Scorpions*, & caſt into the
any hurt, being finally pierce
body with two great nailes, e
rious Martyrdome. At *Pauia*
Biſhop & Martyr, who ſuffer

ally the crowne of Martyrdome. Also of *astasius* Martyr, who for the great feruor had to suffer for Christ, offered himselfe luntarily to the persecutours. At *Trauers* S. *Nicetius* Bishop, a man of great holines. *Polybotum* in *Asia*, of S. *Iohn* Bishop, surmed *Thaumaturgus*.

D *The sixt Day.*

AT *Myra*, the chiefe Citty of *Lycia*, the birth-day of S. *Nicolas* Bishop & Cõfour, of whome amõgst many miracles s memorable one is recorded, that being distant, he dissuaded by admonitions & eats, the Emperor *Constantine* in a visiõ, putting to death certaine persons, who d called vpon him for succour in theyr cessity. In *Affrica* of the holy women *Dio-a*, *Datiua*, *Leontia*, and of a religious man led *Tertius*; also of *Aemilianus* a Phisitian, *ifacius*, and three others, who in the perution of the *Wandalls*, vnder *Hannericus* *Arian* King, for defence of the Catho-r fayth, being all most cruelly tormen-, deserued the glory of renowned, and ly Confessours. There also of S. *Maiori-Bonne* to the forsaid *Dionysia*, who being ng youth, and trembling at the tor-

taking vp in her armes, buryed
owne house, and daily vsed to pr
sepulcher. The same day of *S. Pol*
Priest, who in the tyme of *Constant*
perour, whiles he sayd Masse at t
Altar, was killed by the *Arians*. At
S. Asella Virgin, who (as S. *Hierome*
being blessed euen frō her mothers
drew on her lyfe, in fasting, and
vntill her very old age.

E *The seauenth Day.*

AT *Millan* the ordination of *S.*
Bishop and Doctour of the
by whose holinesse and doctrine
uersal Church of Christ is greatly a

confeſſion of Chriſt, he was preſently condemned to death. At *Antioch* of the holy Martyrs *Polycarpus* and *Theodorus*. At *Tubur-bum* in *Affrica* of S. *Seuerus* Martyr, who in the perſecutiõ of the *Wandals*, vnder *Hunne-ricus* the *Arian* King, hauing byn very ſore beaten with cudgells, and oftentymes lifted vp on high with pullies, and ſuddenly with the whole weight of his body, let fall vpon hard flint ſtones, & otherwiſe cruelly tormented; at laſt obteyned the palme of Martyrdome. At (a) *Teano* in *Campaniæ* of S. *Vrbanus* Biſhop and Confeſſour. At (b) *Saints* in *France* of S. *Martin* Abbot, at whoſe Sepulcher by the power of God, often miracles are wrought. In the territory of (c) *Meaux*, of S. *Phara* Virgin.

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F *The eyght Day.*

THE Conception of the euer-Glorious Virgin *Mary* Mother of God. At *Rome* of S. *Eutychianus* Pope, who hauing buryed with his owne hands the bodyes of three hundred fourty and two Martyrs, was vnder *Numerianus* Emperour, made worthy of Martyrdome himſelfe, and buried in the Church yard of *Calliſtus*. At *Alexandria* of S. *Macarius* Martyr, who in the tyme

tyme of *Decius*, when the Iudge with many words went about to perſuade him to deny Chriſt, & he with ſo much the more conſtancy did profeſſe his fayth, was at laſt commaunded to be burned alyue. At *Treuers* of *S. Eucharius* diſciple to *S. Peter* the Apoſtle, and the firſt Biſhop of the ſame Citty. In *Cyprus* of *S. Sophronius* Biſhop, a moſt renowned defender, and ayder of Pupills, Orphans, Widdows, and of all poore and oppreſſed perſons. In the Monaſtery of (a) *Liſieux* of S. *Romaricus* Abbot, who being a chiefe Nobleman in the Court of King *Theodobertus*, renouncing the world, was very famous for monaſticall diſcipline. At *Conſtantinople* of *S. Pacapius* Hermit, renowned for vertues & miracles. At *Verona* the Ordination of S. *Zeno* Biſhop.

G *The nynth Day.*

AT *Toledo* in *Spaine*, the birth-day of S. *Leocadia* Virgin and Martyr, who in the perſecution of *Diocletian* Emperour, vnder *Dacianus* Gouernour of *Spaine*, being ſore pined in pryſon, when ſhe heard of the cruell torments of S. *Eulalia* and other Martyrs, putting herſelf vpō her knees in prayer, gaue vp her vndefiled ſoule to

God.

God. At *Carthage* of S. *Restitutus* Bishop & Martyr, vpon whose feast *S. Augustine* made a sermon of him to the people. Also in *Affrica* of the holy Martyrs *Peter*, *Successus*, *Bassianus*, *Primitiuus*, and twenty others. At (a) *Limoges* in *France*, of *S. Valeria* Virgin, and Martyr. At *Verona* of S. *Proculus* Bishop, who in the persecution of *Diocletian*, being with buffets and cudgells driuen out of the Citty, at length restored to his Church, reposed in peace. At *Pauia* of S. *Syrus* the first Bishop of that Citty, renowned for vertues and miracles. At *Apamea* in *Syria* of S. *Iulianus* Bishop, who in the tyme of *Seuerus* Emperour was very famous for holines of life. At (b) *Perigueux* in *France* of S. *Cyprian* Abbot, a man of great sanctity. At *Nazianzum* of S. *Gorgonia*, sister to *S. Gregory* surnamed the *Deuine*, whose vertues & miracles himselfe hath written.

a Lemuices.

b Petrogorici

A *The tenth Day.*

AT *Rome* of S. *Melchiades* Pope, who hauing suffered great persecution vnder *Maximianus*, and peace restored to the Church, reposed in our Lord. The same day of the holy Martyrs *Carpophorus* Priest, and *Abundius* Deacon, who in the persecu-

tion of *Diocletian*, being firſt moſt cruelly beaten with cudgells, thē racked vpon the torture *Equuleus*, and afterwards long pyned in priſon for want of meate, were finally beheaded. At (a) *Merida* in *Spaine* the paſſion of S. *Eulalia* Virgin, who vnder *Maximianus* Emperour, and *Dacianus* Preſident, ſuffering many torments for the confeſſion of Chriſt at twelue yeares old, at length racked vpō the torture *Equuleus*, rent with iron clawes, and burning torches put to her ſydes, ſhe gaue vp her ſoule to God. There alſo of S. *Iulia* Virgin and Martyr, the inſeparable companion of S. *Eulalia*, both in life and death. At *Alexandria* of the holy Martyrs *Mennas*, *Hermogenes*, & *Eugraphus*, who ſuffered vnder *Maximinus*. At (b) *Lentini* of the holy Martyrs *Mercurius*, and his fellowes Souldiers, who vnder *Tertyllus* Preſidēt, & *Licinius* Emperour were beheaded. At *Ancyra* in *Galatia* of S. *Gemellus* Martyr, who after moſt grieuous torments vnder *Iulian* the Apoſtata, was crucified on a Croſſe. At *Vienna* of S. *Sindulphus* Biſhop & Cōfeſſor. At *Breſcia* of S. *Deus-dedit* Biſhop.

B *The eleauenth Day.*

AT *Rome* of S. *Damaſus* Pope & Confeſſour, who condemned *Apollinaris*

birth-day of S. *Spiridion* Biſhop, who was one of thoſe Confeſſours, that vnder *Maximinus*, hauing their right eye pulled out, & their left knee cut, were condemned to the mettall-mynes. This holy man renowned for the guift of Propheſy and miracles, confounded an Ethnicke Philoſopher, in the Councell of *Nice*, that ſcoffed at Chriſtian Religion, and brought him to the fayth of Chriſt. At (a) *Bergamo* of *S. Viator* Biſhop & Confeſſour. At *Pauia* of S. *Pompeius* Biſhop. At *Naples* in *Campania*, of *S. Agnellus* Abbot, famous for miracles, who hath bene often ſeene with the Standard of the Croſſe, to deliuer that Citty beſieged, from the enemyes. At *Millan* of *S. Matronianus* Hermit.

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F. *The fifteenth Day.*

AT *Rome* of the holy Martyrs *Irenæus*, *Antonius*, *Theodorus*, *Saturninus*, *Victor*, & ſeauenteens others, who in the perſecution of *Valerianus* ſuffered for Chriſt. In *Affrica* the paſſion of the Saints *Fauſtinus*, *Lucius*, *Candidus*, *Caſianus*, *Marcus*, *Ianuarius*, & *Fortunatus*. There alſo of S. *Valerianus* Biſhop, who being aboue fourſcore yeares of age, in the perſecution of the *Vandalls*, vnder *Geiſericus* the *Arian* King, for not deliuering

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vp the goods of his Church, was commaũded to be caſt out of the Citty, and all men forbidden to ſuccour him, either in their houſes, or otherwiſe; who lying a long time in the cõmon way, in the open ayre, at laſt finiſhed the courſe of his bleſſed lyfe, in the confeſſion, & defence of the Catholique Verity. In the territory of *Orleans* of S. *Maximinus* Confeſſour. In the Country of the (a) *Georgians*, beyond the ſea *Euxinus*, of *S. Chriſtiana* a Hand-mayd, who by miracles conuerted that Nation to the faith of Chriſt, in the time of *Conſtantine* the Great.

(a) *Iberi.*

G *The ſixteenth Day.*

OF the three children *Ananias*, *Azarias*, and *Miſael*, whoſe bodies were buried in *Babylon* in a certaine Caue. At *Rauenna* of the holy Martyrs *Valentinus*, a Generall of Souldiers, *Concordius* his ſonne, *Natalis* and *Agricola*, who ſuffered for Chriſt, in the perſecution of *Maximianus* Emperour. At (t) *Mola* in *Campania*, of S. *Albina* Virgin and Martyr, vnder *Decius* Emperour. In *Affrica* the paſſion of many holy Virgins, who in the perſecution of the *Wandalls* vnder *Hunnericus* the *Arian* King, after many grieuous torments, of hanging vp by the hands with

(t) *Forix.*

weights, and hoat burning plates, happily accomplished their Martyrdome. At *Vienna* of S. *Ado* Bishop and Confessour. At *Aberdine* in (b) *Scotland* of S. *Beanus* Bishop. At *Gaza* in *Palestine* of S. *Irenion* Bishop.

b Hibernia.

A *The seauententh Day.*

AT *Eleutheropole* in *Palestine* of the holy Martyrs *Flauianus*, *Calanicus*, and fifty eight of their fellowes, who in the time of *Heraclius* Emperour were slaine by the *Saracens*, for the fayth of Christ. At (a) *Marseille* in *France* of S. *Lazarus* Bishop, whome our Lord is said in the Ghospell to haue raised frō death. At *Bigard* neere *Bruxels* of S. *Viuina* Virgin, whose great sanctimony is testified by her many miracles. At *Constantinople* of S. *Olympia* widdow. At *Andan*, in the Abbey called *of the seauen Churches*, of S. *Begga* Widdow, sister to S. *Gertrude*. The same day the translation of S. *Ignatius* Bishop & Martyr, who was the third, after S. *Peter*, that gouerned the Church of *Antioch*. His body being brought from *Rome*, where he suffered in the persecution of *Traian*, to *Antioch*, was there buried in the Church-yard of the Church, without the Gate of *Daphnis*: In which solemnity S. Iohn Chrysostome

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vp the goods of his Church, was co
ded to be cast out of the Citty, and
forbidden to succour him, either
houses, or otherwise; who lying
time in the cōmon way, in the ope
at last finished the course of his bless
in the confession, & defence of the
lique Verity. In the territory of Or
S. *Maximinus* Confessour. In the Co
of the (a) *Georgians*, beyond the sea B
of *S. Christiana* a Hand-mayd, who
racles conuerted that Nation to the
Christ, in the time of *Constantine* the

a Iberi.

G *The sixtenth Day.*

OF the three children *Ananias*, A
and *Misael*, whose bodies were
in *Babylon* in a certaine Caue. At R
of the holy Martyrs *Valentinus*, a Gen
Souldiers, *Concordius* his sonne, *Nau*
Agricola, who suffered for Christ, in t
secution of *Maximianus* Emperour.
Mola in *Campania*, of S. *Albina* Virg
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a Formiæ.

weights, and hoat burning plates, happily accomplished their Martyrdome. At *Vienne* of S. *Ado* Bishop and Confessour. At *Aberdine* in (b) *Scotland* of S. *Beanus* Bishop. At *Gaza* in *Palestine* of S. *Irenion* Bishop. b Hil nia.

A *The seauententh Day.*

AT *Eleutheropole* in *Palestine* of the holy Martyrs *Flauianus*, *Calanicus*, and fifty eight of their fellowes, who in the time of *Heraclius* Emperour were slaine by the *Saracens*, for the fayth of Christ. At (a) *Marseille* in *France* of S. *Lazarus* Bishop, whome our Lord is said in the Ghospell to haue raised frō death. At *Bigard* neere *Bruxels* of S. *Viuina* Virgin, whose great sanctimony is testified by her many miracles. At *Constantinople* of S. *Olympia* widdow. At *Andan*, in the Abbey called *of the seauen Churches*, of S. *Begga* Widdow, sister to *S. Gertrude*. The same day the translation of S. *Ignatius* Bishop & Martyr, who was the third, after S. *Peter*, that gouerned the Church of *Antioch*. His body being brought from *Rome*, where he suffered in the persecution of *Traian*, to *Antioch*, was there buried in the Church-yard of the Church, without the Gate of *Daphnis*: In which solemnity S. Iohn Chrysa- a Mal lia.

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ſtome made a Sermon to the people. B
terwards his holy Reliques were
tranſlated to *Rome*, and with greath
and veneration placed in the Churc
Clement, togeather with the body
moſt Bleſſed Pope and Martyr.

B *The eightenth Day.*

AT *Philippi* in *Macedonia*, the bi
of the holy Martyrs *Rufus* a
mus, two of the number of thoſe d
by whome the primitiue Church w
ded, amongſt the Iewes and *Gree*
whoſe happy Martyrdome S. *Polyca*
teth in an Epiſtle to the *Philippians*.
dicea in *Syria*, the paſſion of the Sain
timus, and *Baſilianus*. In *Affrica* of t
Martyrs *Quinctus*, *Simplicius*, and oth
ſuffered in the perſecution of *Decius*
rian. There alſo of S. *Moyſetes* Mart
in *Affrica* of the holy Martyrs *Victur*
Victorinus, *Adiutor*, *Quartus*, and thirty
At *Mopſueſtia* in *Cilicia* of S. *Auxentius*
who hauing byn ſometimes a So
vnder *Licinius* Emperor, choſe rathe
off his military Cincture, then to of
pes to Bacchus: and being afterwar
ned Biſhop, renowned for merit

peace. At (a) *Tours* of S. *Gatianus* Con- a Tur
four who being ordayned the first Bi- nes.
op of that Citty by *S. Fabianus* Pope, fa-
ous for miracles, rested in our Lord.

C *The nynetenth Day.*

AT *Alexandria* in *Aegypt*, of S. *Nemesius* Martyr, who through calumniation ing presented to the Iudge as a theef, & olued from that crime, was shortly after the persecution of *Decius* accused to *Aemi-aus* the Iudge for a Christian, by whome ing often and cruelly tormented, he was last commaunded to be burned with eeues; heerein resembling our Blessed uiour, who togeather with theeues was cifyed. At *Nice* of the Saints *Darius*, *Zo-ras*, *Paulus*, and *Secundus* Martyrs. At *Ni-edia* of the holy Martyrs *Cyriacus*, *Paulil-*, *Secundus*, *Anastasius*, *Syndimius*, and their lowes. In *Mauritania* of S. *Timotheus* Dea-n, who for the fayth of Christ after most ell imprysonment, being cast into the e, accomplished his Martyrdome. At *Ga-* in *Palestine*, the passiō of the Saints *Meurès* d *Thea*. At (a) *Auxerre* of S. *Gregory* Bishop a Ab
Confessour. At *Orleans* of S. *Adiutus* Ab- sio
, famous for the spirit of Prophesy. At

nowned for her Noble

D *The twe*

THE Vigill of S.
Rome of the holy
Baiulus. At *Alexandria*
Ammon, Zeno, Ptolomæus,
Souldiers, who being p
nation and torments
ſtian, and ſeing him atr
to deny his fayth, endea
lookes and geſtures to e
exclaymed againſt by
fore comming forth
and openly declaring t
ſtians, by a famous cor
dured, they moſt gl
in Chriſt. At *Gelduba* of
Arabia of the holy Mar
carius Prieſts, who by
for reprehending his
moſt cruelly beaten, &
a vaſt wildernes, were
Antioch the birth-day
ſhop, who of an Aduo
God, to gouerne that
ther with S. Alexande

first enter into combat for the Catholique fayth against *Arius* the Hereticke; & afterward renowned for miracles, repoſed in our Lord; whoſe yearly feſtiuity S. *Iohn Chryſoſtome* did vſe to celebrate, with an excellent ſermon, in prayſe of his vertues. At (e) *Breſcia* of S. *Dominicke* Biſhop and Confeſſour. e Br

E *The one and twentith Day.*

AT *Calamina* the birth-day of S. *Thomas* Apoſtle, who hauing preached the Ghoſpel to the *Parthians*, *Medians*, *Perſians*, *Hyrcans*, and *Brachmans*, went at the length into *India*, where when he had inſtructed that people in the Chriſtiã Fayth, being by the Kings commandement thruſt through the body with a lance, ended his Martyrdome. His holy Reliques were firſt brought to the Citty of *Edeſſa*, and afterwards tranſlated to *Orlona* in *Apulia*. In *Tuſcany* of the holy Martyrs *Iohn* and *Feſtus*. In *Lycia* of S. *Themiſtocles* Martyr, who vnder *Decius* Emperour, offering himſelfe to the Perſecutours in the place of *Dioſcorus*, who was ſoughe for to death, being racked vpon the torture *Equuleus*, dragged, and beaten with cudgells, obteyned the crowne of Martyr-

in the time of *Phocas* Empe
barbarouſly ſlayne by the I
of S. *Seuerinus* Biſhop and

F *The two and twe*

AT *Rome* in the way *L*
the two Bay-trees, t
thirty holy Martyrs; whe
one day, in the perſecuti
In the ſame place of S. *Fla*
uing bene ſometyme gouer
ty, was by *Iulian* the Apoſta
in the face, and then baniſ
ters called *Taurina*, where it
vp his ſoule to God. At *O*

Decius, being diſperſed abroad by flight, & wandering in the wildernes, were ſlaine by wild beaſts; others conſumed with famine, cold and ſickenes; & other ſome alſo being killed by barbarous people, and theeues, were all crowned with the glory of Martyrdome. At *Nicomedia* of S. *Zeno* a Souldier, who deriding at *Diocletian* the Emperour for ſacrificing vnto *Ceres*, hauing his iawbones broken, and his teeth ſtroken out, was finally beheaded.

G *The three and twentith Day.*

AT *Rome* of S. *Victoria* Virgin and Martyr, who in the perſecution of *Decius* Emperour, being betrothed to *Eugenius* an Infidell, when ſhe would neither marry, nor ſacrifice vnto Idols, after many miracles wrought, by which ſhe cõuerted many Virgins to Chriſt, was by cõmandment of her Spouſe, by the hangman ſtroken through the hart. At *Nicomedia* the birth-day of twẽty holy Martyrs, who in the perſecution of *Diocletian*, after that they had bene afflicted with moſt grieuous torments, were put to death. In the ſame place, the paſſion of the *Saints Migdonius* and *Mardonius*, in the ſame perſecution, of whome one being burned, and

a Creta. ted to our Lord. In (a) Candia o
Martyrs *Theodulus*, *Saturninus*, *Eup*
sius, *Eunicianus*, *Zeticus*, *Cleomenes*,
Basilides, and *Euaristus*, who in th
tion of *Decius*, after many cruell
were beheaded. At *Rome* of S. S
whome S. *Gregory* Pope writeth,
his tender yeares, vntill the end
lying sicke of the palsie, in a P
to S *Clements* Church, at length
the harmony of Angells, he w
to the glory of Paradise. At wh
cher it pleased God to shew ofte

A *The foure and twentit*

THE Vigill of the Natiui

en caſt into pryſon, and layd vpon a
ate grydiron, hauing his knees alſo
oken with iron barres, and his ſides
orched with burning lampes, was final-
beheaded. At *Tripolis* of the holy Mar-
rs *Lucianus*, *Metrobius*, *Paulas*, *Zenobius*, *Theo-*
nus, and *Druſus*. At *Nicomedia* of S. *Euthy-*
us Martyr, who in the perſecution of
ocletian hauing ſent many before him to
artyrdome, being thruſt through with a
ord, followed himſelfe to the ſame
wne. At (a) *Burdeaux* of S. *Delphinus* Bi- a Bur
op, who in the time of *Theodoſius* flouri- gala.
ed for ſanctity of life. At *Rome* the birth-
y of S. *Tharſilla* Virgin, Ant to S. *Grego-*
Pope, of whome he writeth that in the
ure of her death, ſhe ſaw IESVS com-
ng to her. At *Treuers* of S. *Irmina* Virgin,
ughter to King *Dagobertus* of *France*.

B *The fiue and twentith Day.*

THE yeare from the Creation of the
world, when in the beginning God
ated Heauen and Earth, fiue thouſand,
e hundred, ninety and nine: from the
ud of *Noe*, two thouſand nyne hundred
y and ſeauen: from the Natiuity of *A-*
ham two thouſand and fifteene: from
ſes, & the comming forth of the people

of *Iſrael* out of *Aegypt*, one thouſand,
hundred, and ten: from the annoynti
Dauid, one thouſand, thirty and two
ſixty and fiue weeke according to the
pheſy of *Daniel*; the hundred, nynet
fourth *Olympiade*; from the building
Citty of *Rome*, ſeauen hũdred fifty &
the two and fourtith yeare of the E
of *Octauianus Auguſtus*, when the
world was in peace, in the ſixt age th
Ieſus-Chriſt, Eternall God, and Sonne
Eternall Father, intending to ſanctif
world with his moſt bleſſed Preſenc
uing byn conceaued of the Holy Gh
nyne monethes paſt after his Concep
is borne in *Bethleem-Iuda* of the Virgi
ry, and made man. The *Natiuity* of our
Ieſus-Chriſt, according to the fleſh
ſame day, the feſtiuity of S. *Anaſtaſia*,
vnder *Diocletian* Emperour, firſt ſuffe
harſh and rigorous reſtraint by her hu
Publius (in which neuertheleſſe, ſh
greatly comforted, and encouraged
Chryſogonus a holy Confeſſour of Chr
afterwards by *Florus* Preſident of *Sc*
a longer impriſonment, at length h
her hands and feete ſtretched out, & b
to ſtakes, with fire kindled about her,
pliſhed her Martyrdome, in the Iland

uria, into which ſhe had byn carried with wo hundred men, and ſeauenty women; who all by diuers kinds of death there ended their Martyrdome. At *Rome* in the Churchyard of *Apronianus* of S. *Eugenia* Virgin, who in the time of *Gallienus* Emperour ſter ſhe had wrought very many miracles nd gathered togeather many holy Virgins n the ſeruice of Chriſt, being a long time fflicted vnder *Nicetius* Gouernour of the Citty, was finally beheaded. At *Nicomedia* he paſſiō of many thouſand Martyrs, who when in the *Natiuity* of Chriſt they were ſſembled togeather in the church, to heare Maſſe & Communicate, *Diocletian* the Emperour commaūded the Church-doores to e ſhut, and fire to be made round about it, s alſo a veſſell with Incenſe to be placed efore the doores, and the common Cryer o pronounce with a lowde voyce, that uch as would eſcape burning, ſhould go orth, and offer Incenſe to *Iupiter*; & when hey all with one voyce anſwered, that hey would rather, and more willingly die or Chriſt, being conſumed with fire, deerued to be borne in heauen, the ſame day hat Chriſt vouchſafed to be borne in earth or the ſaluation of the world.

ter the Aſcenſion of Chriſt. At *Ro*
Marinus a Senator, who vnder *Cari*
peror and *Marcianus* Gouernour, b
prehended for the Chriſtian faith, &
baſe manner racked vpon the tortu
leus, torne with iron clawes, caſt in
ing panne, but the fire turning into
he deliuered, thrown alſo vnto wi
but nothing hurt by them, at lẽgth
vnto the Altar tó ſacrifice, when t
by his prayers fell to the groũd, bei
beheaded obtayned the palme of
dome. Alſo at *Rome* in the wayte *A*
depoſition of *S. Dionyſius* Pope, gr
nowned for piety, & labours whic
ſtained for the Church. Theſe al
Zoſimus Pope and Confeſſour. In *A*

D *The ſeauen and twentith Day.*

AT *Epheſus* the birth-day of S. *Iohn* Apoſtle and Euangeliſt, who after the writing of his Ghoſpell, being ſent into banishment, where that diuine Reuelation was made vnto him, perſeuering vntil the tyme of *Traian* Emperour, founded and gouerned the Churches of all *Aſia*; and finally worne out with old age, the 68. yeare after the paſſion of our Lord reſted in peace, and was buryed neere the vnto ſame Cittty. At *Alexandria* of S. *Maximus* Biſhop, greatly renowned for the confeſſion of his Fayth. At *Conſtantinople* of the holy Confeſſors *Theodorus* and *Theophanes* Brothers, who being brought vp from their childhood in the Monaſtary of S. *Sabas*, & afterwards for defence of holy Images oppoſing themſelues againſt *Leo*, & *Theophilus Armenus*, Emperors, were by their commaundment firſt whipped, and then ſent into banishment, where *Theodorus* died in pryſon; but *Theophanes*, when peace at length was reſtored to the Church, being made Biſhop of *Nice*, repoſed happily in our Lord. These alſo of S. *Niceratus* Virgin, renowned for holiness of life, vnder *Arcadius* Emperour.

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death by King Herod. At Antyra
of the holy Martyrs *Eutychius* Pr
mitianus Deacon. In *Affrica* the b
the holy Martyrs *Castor*, *Victor*, &
At *Nicomedia* of the holy Marty
Eunuch, *Domna*, *Agapes*, and *Th*
gins, with their fellowes, who
secution of *Diocletian*, after man
for Christ by diuers kinds of de
ned the crowne of Martyrdome
sarea in *Pontus* of S. *Troadius* M
persecution of *Decius*, to whome
surnamed *Thaumaturgus* appear
midst of his torments, and anima
suffer Martyrdome. At *Arabissus* i
Armenia, of S. *Cæsarius* Martyr, w
vnder *Galerius Maximinus*. At *Rom*

F *The nyne and twentith Day.*

AT *Canterbury* in *England* the birth-day of S. *Thomas* Biſhop and Martyr, who or the defence of Iuſtice, and liberty of the hurch, being killed by the faction of cer-ine wicked men in his owne Cathedrall hurch, departed to our Lord. At *Hieruſa-m* of S. *Dauid* King and Prophet. At (a) *Ar-s* the birth-day of S. *Trophimus*, of whome . *Paul* maketh mention writing to S. *Ty-othy*, who being by him ordayned Biſhop as firſt of all ſent vnto that Citty to reach the Ghoſpell, from the fountaine of whoſe doctrine, as S. *Zoſimus* Pope wri-eth, all *France* receaued ſtreames of Chri-ian fayth. At *Rome* of the holy Martyrs *alliſtus*, *Felix*, and *Bonifacius*. In *Affrica* the aſſion of the holy Martyrs *Dominicus*, *Vi-or*, *Primianus*, *Lyboſus*, *Saturninus*, *Creſcen-us*, *Secundus*, & *Honoratus*. At *Vienne* in *France* f S. *Creſcens*, diſciple of S. *Paul* the Apoſtle, nd the firſt Biſhop of that Citty. At *Con-antinople* of S. *Marcellus* Abbot. At (b) *Hieſ-es* in *Normandy* of S. *Ebrulphus* Abbot, and onfeſſour, in the time of King *Childebert* f *France*.

a Arch tum.

b Oxy mum.

G *The thirtith Day.*

AT *Spoleto* the birth-day of the holy Martyrs *Sabinus* Bishop, *Exuperantius* and *Marcellus* Deacons, and *Venustianus* President, with his wife and children, vnder *Maximianus* Emperour; of whome *Marcellus* & *Exuperantius* being firſt racked vpon the torture *Equuleus*, then cruelly beaten with cudgells, torne with iron clawes, and roſted on both ſides, ended their Martyrdome: but *Venuſtianus*, not long after, together with his wife & children was beheaded: And S. *Sabinus*, hauing his hands cut off, and long pined in pryſon, was finally beaten to death. Whoſe Martyrdomes, although they happened at ſundry times, are yet celebrated vpon the ſame day. At *Alexandria* of the Saints *Manſuetus*, *Seuerus*, *Appianus*, *Donatus*, *Honorius*, and their fellowes Martyrs. At *Theſſalonica* of S. *Anyſia* Martyr. There alſo of S. *Anyſius* Bishop of the ſame Citty. At *Millan* of S. *Eugenius* Bishop and Confeſſour. At *Rauenna* of S. *Liberius* Bishop. At *Aquila* in (a) *Abbruzzo* of S. *Rainerius* Bishop.

(a) Olim Veſtini.

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A *The one and thirtith Day.*

AT *Rome* the birth-day of S. *Syluester* Pope, who hauing baptized *Conſtan-* the Great, and confirmed the Councell *Nice*, after many holy labours & paines en for the Church, happily repoſed in Lord. Alſo at *Rome* in the way *Salaria*, he Churchyard of *Priſcilla*, of the holy rtyrs *Donata*, *Paulina*, *Ruſtica*, *Nominan-* *Serotina*, *Hilaria*, and their fellowes. At *Sens* of the Saints *Sabinianus* Biſhop, and a Sens *entianus*, who being ſent thither by the na. hop of *Rome*, to preach the Ghoſpell, a- rned that Biſhoprike with their Martyr- me. There alſo of S. *Columba* Virgin & rtyr, who hauing ouercome the tor- nts of fire, in the perſecution of *Aurelia-* , was beheaded. At *Rhetiaria* of S. *Hermes* orciſt. At *Catania* in *Sicily* the paſſion of Saints *Stephen*, *Pontianus*, *Attalus*, *Fabia-* , *Cornelius*, *Sextus*, *Flores*, *Quinctianus*, *Mi-* *uinus* and *Simplicianus*. The ſame day of *Zoticus* a Prieſt of *Rome*, who going to *nſtantinople*, tooke there vpon him the re & protection of Orphanes. At *Rauenna* S. *Barbatianus* Prieſt & Confeſſour. The ne day of S. *Melania* the yonger, who

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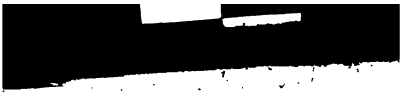
going from *Rome*, with her husband Pi
nus to *Hieruſalem*, and there leading a R
gious life, ſhe in a Cloiſter of holy V
gins, and he in a Monaſtery of Mon
both ended their happy dayes.

℣. *And in other places of many other Sa*
Martyrs, Confeſſours, and holy Virgins, to w
prayers and merits, we humbly commend our
ues. Reſp. *Prayſe be to God.*

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